Whitelaw faces demands

for new initiatives

# Second wave of riots in Liverpool

By Stewart Tendler and Arthur Osman

For the second successive night rioting errupted in the Toxteth district of Liverpool last night. Gangs set fire to barricades and stones were hurled at police reinforcements who tried to control the

A pall of smoke hung over Upper Parliament Street, the centre of trouble the night

The renewed violence came at the end of a weekend of trouble in immigrant areas of London and Liverpool which left 130 policemen injured. To-day the Government will face a barrage of demands for action to avert further scenes of burn-ing cars, smashed shops and petrol bombs in mainland

on Friday, and on the disorders in Toyteth in Toxteth

This afternoon the Home Secretary is expected to face a disturbed Commons and calls for fresh initiatives in race relations, public order, youth em-ployment and the protection of

The trouble in Southall began after skinheads came into the largely-Asian area for a pop-concert. Yesterday Mr David Lane, chairman of the Commission for Racial Equality, called for a strengthening of the law on public order and racial incitement, while immigrant groups described the rior as part of a campaign by racial groups to incite trouble.

An umbrella group for Paki-

stani organizations called for a judicial tribunal into the activities of extreme right-wing political groups, and immigrant councillors in London boroughs asked the Home Office to begin a programme against urban deprivation and inequality in

The Saturday riots in Liverpool began with clashes between police and young blacks and Mr David Alton, Liberal MP for Liverpool, Edge Hill, will ask Mr Whitelaw to set up an urgent inquiry into

them detained in hospital, and three arrests. One man was alleged to have been in possession of petrol bombs and two others were accused of damage

and theft.
A 400-square yard section of
Toxteth, in the hinterland of the docks and a mile from the city centre, was carpeted with broken glass, burnt out vehicles and firemen still damping down smouldering buildings vesterday morning.

### Anonymous tip about a 'bloodbath'

For nine hours Liverpool policemen, supported by 90 reinforcements from Greater Manchester, had faced petrol bombs, fires, stoning and looting, which lasted until 7 am. The violence appeared to have been premeditated and arose from a volatile mix of hooliganism, unemployment, frustration, alleged over-intensive policing and the claim that black people had been provoked by police. It was not a race riot in the context of Brixton or Southall but was more the sudden fusing elements common to black

or elements common to black and white youths.

The weekend eruption began on Friday when a black youth was chased by police and fell off a motorcycle when they caught him. He disappeared after being pulled from the police by a gathering crowd of 40 black youths, and two hours of sporadic violence followed, in of sporadic violence followed, in which five officers were hurt.

After the incident the police received an anonymous tip about a "bloodbath" in Toxteth and a force of men. equipped with riot equipment

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stood by. The police say they were kept from public view.
Late on Saturday another anonymous tip reported a stolen car in the area and three officers went to investigate. They were met with stones and bottles. Within minutes a crowd of about 150 black and white youths took over lipper Parlia. youths took over Upper Parliament Street, the area's main artery. Parked cars were over-turned and set on fire to form turned and set on fire to form a barricade. Others were driven into bus shelters and lamp-posts to wreck them. Hire-car

posts to wreck them. Hire-car garages were broken into and the cars driven out.
Shops were burnt and others, including a wine store, looted as the violence spread. Police formed up behind riot shields and came under a barrage of bricks, bottles and then petrol bombs. A BBC television team ran for cover when a masked gang armed with pick-axe gang armed with pick-axe-handles attacked them, captured a £12,000 camera and destroyed it.

### Chief Constable puts blame on parents

Mr Neil Higginson, the cameraman, said that the moh "warned us not to film. We "warned us not to film. We agreed; but they still chased us and we ran as they still us."

Refrigerators were taken from one shop, Mrs Bridie Heffernan, a shopkeeper, said that about 30 masked youbts broke into her premises to steal boxes of thed goods. They also contents on the floor. She said: "It was sheer vandalism."

Throughout the night police had to escort irremen on their way to tackle blazing buildings and cars. Finally, at 7 am, they baton-charged the mob, which then melted away into side alleys and on to the Kingsley housing assare.

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the roots of the disorder.

After Saturday night's
rollice officers injured 11 of
Farents have a respectibility. to discipline and control the movement and behaviour of their children. These were mostly in their 'teens and early

twenties but some were younger than 12. They saw this younger than 12. They saw this as a huge joke or game."
He said: "Race relations leaders tried to maintain some order but failed to quell the riot. The hooligans were hellbent on attacking the police, who are so readily identified as symbols of law and order.
"Their fight was with use I

Their fight was with us. I am confident we have the matter under control and con-

tained, but we are prepared for any outbreak and are ready to deal with it quickly. "The causes are many and various but I have no doubt

that we are the readily identi-fied symbols of authority and discipline which is anothema to these people.

Mr Oxford said it was sad

because ethnic groups in Liver-pool had been there for many years and the city did not have the immigration problem of

other places.

He denied that black youths had been harassed by police in recent weeks. "Some of them seem to think that the police seem to think that the police in the seem to think that the police that th should not investigate their criminal behaviour. We are not going to let these young thugs get away with it; if that is harassment, then we are

doing our duty.
"We are not taking them or just because they live in that area. To suggest we flooded the area with an inordinate number of policemen is quite

"This was not a race riot. The problem has been caused by a Continued on back page, col 3.

### Navy missile will | 'Observer' loses have short life

The Royal Navy's £1,000m Chevaline nuclear missile system, an improved version of Polaris, will be in service for only about four years before being replaced by Trident mis-siles. Because of the failure of a recent test firing, there is no chance that the submarine HMS Revenge will be equipped with the new system when it com-

### French barred

Mexico has retaliated against a French refusal to accept higher

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which lost 850,000 copies because of an industrial dispute on Saturday, is to tell print union leaders that publication will be halted unless they give guarantees of uninterrupted production. The dispute concerns differential payments to machine payments to machine room workers. Back page

### Frenchman's GP

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Blood spattered and weary—a Liverpool policeman's lot, 1981 style.

# Russian rebuff for Carrington over Afghanistan initiative

From Our Own Correspondent, Moscow, July 5

On the eve of Lord Carring by the Afghan Government on from many commiles, and with ton's visit here the Russians May 14, 1980."

That programme called for to the wall, are taking an increasingly unbending stand. Afghanistan, saying at could not serve as a basis for talks and that no one was going to hold talks with its Western backers.

A Tass report from Vienna one any conference without with Moscow. A Tass report from Vienna, issued after Lord Carrington's brief wisit there, said the essence of the Foreign Secretary's initiative which word it derided parting in inverted commas—was a conference that the West and China wanted to hold without the perticipation of the Afghan

Government. Afghan people.

ricipation

"Western politicians seeking to resolve the Afghan question in this way must be reminded that all attempts to talk with Afghanistan in the language of force or to interfere in its domestic affairs are senseles The only true path for a settle-ment of the situation round. Afghanistan is contained in the political programme advanced

Double triumph

athletic teams

By Our Sports Staff

Britain's men and women

athletes both won their Europa

Cup semi-finals yesterday to

qualify for next month's finals

The success of the men in Helsinki was the more surpris-ing for with only two nations to go through it had been widely expected that Britain would

finish behind the Russians and

vault, and the 4 x 400 metres relay squad, enabled the team to maintain their first-day lead.

The outcome of the women's meeting at Meadowbank, Edin-

burgh, was more predictable. Britain won 10 of the 15 events. Meg Ritchie's winning discusthrow being a Scottish native

There was a sort of belated revenge for the House of Hanover yesterday when most of America's annual celebration

of its supreme act of disloyalty was washed out for that most British of reasons — it rained.

To hear Americans talk about it nowadays, you would think that their main reason for severing the British connexion on July 4, 1776, was the weather. On identifying an Englishmen their first instinct

Englishman, their first instinct is to make a joke about rain-When Wimbledon's tennis is

delayed by it, they snigger

There were no such jokes

yesterday. The Fourth of July, traditionally a time for barbecues, fireworks and outdoor pursuits, had to be celebrated indoors. Most people stayed at home to be consoled by watching the American transport at

ing the American triumph at

a relatively dry Wimbledon.

knowingly.

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for British

in Zagreb.

the host country.

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Tass spelt out again the Soviet backing for the Afghan stand, as it has done twice since foreign ministers before German rington's mission, and rejected illusion that his mission will any conference held on terms succeed (Our Diplometic Content than those proposed by

This appears to be a deliberate slap in the face for the Foreign Secretary, and suggests little room for negotiation. The inflexible stand could be an opening negotiating position, but Western analysts in Moscow do not believe the Russians are ready to leave Afghanistan on any terms except their own. Moscow's apparent initial interest in the plan could be due to its recognition of the claim that the Russians have a

The most that he and his colleagues will allow is that their plan might starr a new

The discussion was regarded a useful informal exchange of the latest developments. The

of the lanest developments. The Foreign Office rejected any charge of a big-power axis, as Italy has criticized the meeting. The objective was for Lord Carrington to hear an account of recent talks between Herr Will's Brande, the former West German Chargellor and Preciclaim that the Russians have a German Chancellor, and Presi-security problem in the area. German Chancellor, and to take note However, the Russians feel of the new voice in European under pressure on many issues policy in Paris.

### Navy gets its crew and runaway trawler back

From Our Correspondent, Grimsby

The Jean Mermoz, a French violence and eventually the rawler which raced off into the French skipper stopped."

Other French trawlers tried trawler which raced off into the boarding party of eight on board on Saturday was brought into Grimsby yesterday under

heavy guard.
Lt. Simon Hambrook, the First Lieutenant of HMS-Alderney, which arrested the trawler, described the action as trawler, described the action as "unpleasant and very tense". The boarding party were kept on the trawler for 30 hours, and when the Alderney finally arrested the trawler M. Jean Blainfain, the skipper, refused to use his engines and the Navy had to tow her the 100 miles back in to the Humber. In the event Russia came second and Finland failed to qualify. Victories by the Olympic gold medal winners Sebastian Coe (in the 800 metres), and Allan Wells (200 metres), as well as those by Barry Smith (5000 metres), Kerth Stock with a national record in the pole wallt, and the 4 x 400 metres Lt Hambrook said: "I took seven men aboard on a routine examination of the traviler's nets. The engines were started and if got underway.

"We tried to remonstrate but none of the trawler crew spoke English Alderney came after us, and EMS Jersey and a naval helicopeer

to prevent the arrest by getting between the Alderney and the Jean Mermoz. The Alderney had damage along her starboard side when she docked at Grimeby.

Grimsby.

A small force of police met the trawler, but no arrests were made, and Li. Hambrook said the crew would be free to move about if they wished. M Blain-fain refused to allow reporters on board and would not make

on board and would not make any comment.

Other members of the boarding party said he seemed to panic while his nets were being examined, and tried to get back to his home port of Boulogne.

M. Blainfain, was expected to appear in court today charged with illegal fishing.

In 1965 Mr Bernard Newton, a Grimsby skipper, escaped from

Grimsby skipper, escaped from Reykjavik with three Icelandic policemen locked in his cabin. He stood trial for illegal fishing after getting halfway across the North Sea before being arrested.

\*\*Photograph\*\*, page 3

### Poles give Moscow a pledge of loyalty

Mr. Andrei Gromyko, the Soviet Foreign Minister, returned here today from a short visit to Warsaw with a pledge from the Polish leadership that it would rebuff all attempts to

In a joint communique the Polish leaders also specifically endorsed the so-called Brezhney doctrine, saying that the defence of socialism in Poland was inseparable from the country's sovereignty and independence and the security and inviolability of its borders.

"These questions not only affect Poland but are vitally important to the entire socialist community", the communique

The Poles also agreed with the Russians that the West was using the crisis to try to revise the postwar settlement in Europe and to change the balance of forces there and in the world. The two sides said they would do everything to maintain their defence cap-ability at a proper level and strengthen the unity and cohesion of the Warsaw Pact. Poland also gave a pledge that the country "was, is and will continue to be a firm link in the socialist community". In giving Mr Gromyko such explicit promises on their loyalty to the Warsaw Pact, the Poles have clearly tried to allay one of the Russians' main worries throughout the crisis

the reliability of Poland as a military ally.

Mr Gromyko obviously sought, such reassurances before the Polish party congress opens on July 14, and his visit was probably also used to impress on the Polish leaders the Kremlin's concern that the congress should not adopt policies, unacceptable to Moscow.

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For protocol reasons the communiqué did not dwell on matters not related to defence and foreign policy. But the Soviet Foreign Minister, although not charged with the defence of ideology, couched his statements in language indicating that the Poles were left in no doubt of the Russians worries over the reformist movement within the Polish party.

The communique said both sides agreed that their unbreakable alliance fraternal friendship and cooperations together with the development of relations between the two parties on the principles of Marxism Leninism and socialist internationalism, fully met their countries vital interests.

Such a formulation suggests that Mr. Gronvelo, who was

invited to-Warsaw by the Polish Communist Party Central Com-mittee and therefore held talks not only in his capacity as Foreign Minister but also as a senior member of the Soviet-Politburo, covered all the con-tentions ideological issues in his discussions.

The lengthy communique covered a range of foreign policy questions, and showed that in this field at least there is complete agreement between the Russians and Poles disarmament, European nuclear weapons, Afghanistan, the Middle East, the Relsinki accords.

The communique suggests that Mr. Gromyko's visit was reasonably successful in Soviet eyes, though it used the word "businesslike" to describe the aimosphere, a codeword nor-mally reserved for negotiations with non-communist committies when there are sharp disagree-

Soviet auxieties over Poland remain acute, but the Russians appear resigned to letting the congress so shead in the hope that it will rein in some of the reformists.

### The Shah's last hours in Iran

Antunn 1978, Tehren: Does the West yet understand the mael-strom of events which led to Iran and the installation of an Islamic government headed by his archenemy Ayatollah Khomeini? Mohamed Heikal, the distin-

monamed Herkal, the distinguished Egyptian writer and editor, knew both men well, and has produced the first authoritative account of the Shah's fall and its aftermath, to be serialized exclusively in The Times all this week.
Today, on page 8: The Shah's ng halfway across the last desperate bours in Tebran, before being arrested. —and the dramatic return of Photograph, page 3 i Khomeini.

# Curse of England blights Yankee doodle day

From Michael Leapman, New York, July 5

A hage firework display was planned in New York harbour, close to the Statue of Liberty and several hundred prominent. New Yorkers were invited to a party on the 167th floor of the World Trade Centre; to drink beer and wine, eat hot-dogs and watch the show.

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Jersey, took place in a light drizzle. watch the show.

When they reached the top they found it swathed in a thick, white cloud. Occasional flashes could be made out which might have been lightning, but which analysts identified as rockers bursting below. Pre-recorded sound effects of fireworks came over the loudspeakers to remind guests of what they were missing. It persisted during the persisted to City Hall, where representatives of ethnic groups mingled with American soldiers showing their latest weapons. Squads of sailors from viction March 1888

from visiting Nato ships joined the damp march.

Just before the parade ended it began to pelt, and by the end of the day, an inch-and-a-half had been recorded in Central Park. Roads and gardens were

Those who left early enough to catch the late-night television news learned that the fireworks could be seen a bit All the afternoon's outdoor have happened. Today da better from the ground by events had to be cancelled: warm and sunny, a tradit those who braved the rain but craft fairs, concerts, square New York summer's day.

dancing, not to mention thousands of private barbecue parties. The fireworks display went ahead more as a symbolic act of defiance, like the Boston Tea Party,

There was a perverse crumb of comfort. Watching a base ball game, the national sport, is a traditional way of spending Independence Day. The rain would have washed our dozens of games except that none was scheduled because of the three-week strike of major league players league players

It was not, all things considered, an especially good day to be an American. But if the Founding Fathers 205 years ago could have con-tained their patience, for just 24 hours, none of this would have happened. Today dawned

warm and sunny, a traditional

# Maze talks bring hopes of deal

Negetiations to find a settle ment to the hunger strike at the many to the hunger strike at the ment to the hunger strike at the renewed IRA violence throughout the province.

The five members of the commission involved in the commission for Peace and Justice returned to the prison for further dis-cussions with the eight men-fasting to death.

The five members from the counission returned to the pri-son, near Belfast, four hours after an earlier six-hour meet-ing with the men. It is understood they mer Mr Brendan McFarlane, the commander of the republican prisoners at the Maze. He was said to be in the bospital wing of the prison when the delegation made its second visit of the day.

The delegates declined to comment as they left the prison after a weekend of hectic actibopeful sign that the discussions were continuing.

The commission had not requested a further meeting with Mr Michael Alison, Minister of Mr Michael Alison, Minister of State at the Northern Ireland Office with; responsibility for prisons, during the four-hour break in the talks. The Northern Ireland Office and the Republi-gan press centre declined to comment on the return visit.

Yesterday's talks came after the Republican Press Centre issued a detailed statement from issued a detailed statement from
the prisoners calling for direct
talks with the Government,
which was notable for its conciliatory tone. Significantly
there was no mention of political status. But both the Government and the commission examined it carefully.

Although the Government insists that the commission cannot negotiate with the men, a Northern Ireland Office civil-servant was at the prison during Saturday's talks. It is not known. Saturday's tauks, so not known, what, he was, doing, but a spokeman said: "It is quite normal for officials to escort people into the prison." The civil servant was not at yesterday's talks. The Government maintains that the hunger strike most and before there are any must end before there are any changes in the prison regime; but these latest moves offer the best chance of ending the fast before Mr Joseph McDonnell, aged, 30, who starts the fifty-minth day of his fast inday, drifts into a coma and dies. Yesterday, as his wife visited him, he was described as very

If he dies, the solidarity of others on hunger strike will make further attempts at reach-ing a settlement slim, and on

From Richard Ford, Belfast

The five members of the commission involved in the latest move include Father Oliver Critly, a priest from the Irish Republic who is a the Irish Republic who is a first consin of one of the hunger strikers, Mr Thomas McIlwee; Bishop Dermot O'Mahony, Auxiliary Bishop of Dublin Mr Brian Gallagher, a Dublin solicitor; Mr Hugh Logue from Londonderry, who is eronomics spokesman of the is economics spokesman of the Social Democratic and Labour Party; and Mr Jerome Con-nolly, full-time executive secre-tary of the commission.

It is understood that the areas the commission see as being most fruitful towards ending the fast relate to clothing, free association and a change in work rules at the

The delegates were given permission to enter the prison by Mr. Alison after two hours of talks with him on Saturday. That meeting came after eight hours of talks at Hillsborough

Castle on Friday In their detailed statement on Saturday, the prisoners out-lined their five demands, but in a much softer tone than before. They added that Mr. Humphrey Arkins, Secretary of State for Northern Ireland, may be misinformed about

"We have outlined what should be the basis of a sofu-tion without loss of principle to either side in this conflict.", On the crucial issue of free On the crucial issue of free association, the statement apparently made some movement, accepting that it would only be within the 25-man wings of the H-block. Although they would want visits between wings, the statement added: We do not envisage ourselves running around the block as we please in large numbers."

The statement continued:

The statement continued: Supervision need not be restricted. That is a matter for the regime's discretion. There would be no interference with prison officers who would main-tain their supervisory role." On work routine, the pri-soners said it should not be " a

major point of contention", and that they would be pre-pared to majorain their cells, wings and blocks, and engage in any activity they defined as self-maintenance.

Paisley's wedding invitation

# Iraq contemplates jet dea! worth up to £1,000m

By Arthur Reed, Air Correspondent The Iraqi Government is Thames and Dursfold, Surrey

space centres at Kingston upon from France.

evaluating the British Aero, where Hawks are made and space Hawk jet trainer and assembled.

British Aerospace confirmed the Iraqi visits, but played down the possibility of the confirmed down the confirmed down the possibility of the confirmed down the confir British Aerospace confirmed the Iraqi visits, but played down the possibility of an early signing. Such a deal could be worth

up to £1,000m in the long term, but would be unlikely to receive the approval of the British Government so long as Iraq's war with Iran continues. Iraq is also evaluating alreraft in France, Italy and Brazil that compete with the Hawk. Most of Iraq's military sup-A team of 30 engineers and technicians from Iraq are in Britain looking at the Hawk. They have visited British Aero plies in the past have come from the Soviet Union, but Iraq now is buying frigates from Italy and Mirage fighters

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# Church of England faces revolutionary challenge

From Clifford Longley, Religious Affairs Correspondent, York

Profound changes in the structures, attitudes and general style of the Church of England have been proposed by a top-level team of visiting church-

The idea of "establishment" itself-both as a legal relationship to the state and as a cast of mind—is among the settled assumptions of the church that they have questioned.

Some of the proposals are sufficiently radical to cause years of controversy if there was a real attempt to implement them. Nevertheless, there were many signs yesterday that senior members of the Church of England have been persuaded of the need for a revolution in attitudes as fundamental as any in Anglican history.

A senior churchman said the proposals were a watershed in the Church of England's think-ing, designed to "turn us round and put us on the initiative".

and put us on the initiative."
The visitors, some from overseas Anglican churches and
some from other traditions
such as the Roman Catholics,
Orthodox and the Free
Churches, have completed a
three-week inquiry in which
they were assisted by almost
the entire institutional leaderthe church, including Commissioners, many bishops, the biggest voluntary societies, prominent laymen, and officers of the general

It was the first time the mother church of the Anglican Communion has been included in a so-called Partners in Mission project, and it was its most

Suggestions that the Govern-

ment had decided to resist a further fall in the value of the pound in an unannounced shift

pound in an unannounced shift of policy, were vehemently denied in Whitehall yesterday. It was being said in Government, quarters that just as the Government had refrained from intervening when the pound had reached \$2.40, although it had admitted that that was somewhat high, it would not now intervene because it had fallen below \$2.

below \$2.

Mrs Margaret Thatcher's view,
was represented as being unchanged—that the pound had
to find its own level, and that
it would find its own level

through market forces.

The strength of Whitehall

denials of a report in The Sunday Times that the Prime Minister wanted the pound to be at the level of \$Z, and that a fall to \$1.80 would be resisted.

heavy intervention and a

to discredit SDP

evidence of the Social Demo-cratic Party's 'ability to eat into the Conservative vote, began a concerted campaign

yesterday to discredit the party

yesterday to discretify the party and its policies.

At the start of the last full week of the Warrington by-election campaign, Mr Leon Brittan, Chief Secretary to the

Treasury, said that it was time to stop being bemused by the glamour, glitter and personalities of the SDP and ask some

ties of the SDP and ask some serious questions.

The reason social democrat MPs had given for not resigning their seats was that it was not they who had changed, but the Labour Party. If that was so, Mr Brittan said, those who did not support the Labour Party in 1974 could have no reason for supporting the SDP today.

Mr Brittan addressing North

Yorkshire Conservatives, said there was nothing remotely new in the policies being espoused by the SDP. It was not blazing

an exciting new trail through

the undergrowth of British politics; it was seeking to lead

Under a huge portrait of

Yassir Arafat bearing the title
"Wented for murder", placed
on the plinth of Nelson's column

in Trafalgar Square, the Jewish

community staged a mass rally yesterday to protest against the attempt of Lord Carrington, the

Foreign Secretary, to associate the Palestine Liberation Organi-zation with Middle East, peace

The Chief Rabbi, Sir Immanuel Jakobowits, told the crowd, which was estimated at between 12,000 and 15,000, that

the grant of political status to

rion was an affront to the dig-nity of man and to the sanctity

of life.
So long as the PLO was com-

mitted to the use of violence and to the destruction of Israel,

any recognition of it or negotia-

tions with it were a betrayal of

civilization and moral values,

Sir Immanuel, who was the

first main speaker at the rally,

declared that European support

an avowedly terrorist organiza-

Jews in PLO protest

By David Spanier, Diplomatic Correspondent

Cabinet ministers, worried by bemused

rise in interest rates, reflects the sensistivity of the Govern-ment to any suggestions of a

ment to any sugge

U-turn over pound is

denied in Whitehall

By Philip Webster and John Whitmore

at its meeting all fork yester-day, and there was an excited relationship between the synod and the visitors. The final pro-posals are not yet published, and yesterday's meeting was the first taste of what is to come

in about two months. The preliminary report speaks "certain seminal ideas" some of which cause tension. It asks 10 critical questions. Some very

the clergy and the methods of deployment were questionedwhether "freehold, patronage and sole charge" sufficiently encourage "a ministry of misencourage "a ministry of mis-sion as well as a maintenance".

The voluntary societies were asked about their effectiveness. To what extent does the social witness of the church speak to the urgent issues of our day such as poverty, unemployment as poverty, unemployment marriage breakdown and racial tension?" And whether the large investment of money, time and talents in synodical procedures, is justified.

In what ways does the complex of attitudes and patterns plex of attrudes and patterns
that is known as "the establishment" help or hinder the
church's obedience in mission,
especially its Christian solidarity with the less privileged
and less articulate sections of

It is understood that one of the most fundamental issues raised was about the church's overall structure. The grouping the Le of the dioceses into two provinces, Canterbury and Kork, make a was judged to be outdated. The ing it.

recent occasional "technical"

interventions by the Bank of England It was also emphasized in government circles that ministers were still looking for

further public spending cuts (departments are considering options for 1982-83) and a re-duction in direct taxation.

While ministers have con-

trodden cul-de-sac. Mr David Howell, Secretary

of State for Energy, speaking in Oxford, attacked those in the

SDP who argued for a return

to labour-intensive processes of

consider what this means for the quality of working life in this new regime. Think about what life would be like in this new treadmill society should the social democrats ever succeed in dragooning us back into our

industrial past. Those who seek evidence of the bankruptcy of

the alleged radical alternatives offered by the SDP need look

Nominations close today

Frank Johnson, page 12

" It sounds plausible until you

manufacture.

no farther".

The preliminary results were alternatives would be for more explained to the general synod numerous dioceses arranged in at its meeting in York yester regional groupings, which would almost be new provinces. Preaching in York Minster

yesterday morning, the Arch-bishop of York Dr Stuart Blanch told synod members: "This Partners in Mission con-sultation could mean much more than simply the reorder ing of our institutions. It could mean a revival of the spiritual life within the church and it rinted. could produce a new dynamic.

The selection and training of in the life of the nation."

None of the outside repre sentatives was more warmly received than Miss Jenny Bond aged, 23, the representative of the English Roman Catholic Church, who challenged the synod and the church to be come truly representative. It was a middle-class, respectable community, middle-aged or elderly, with few young people and members of ethnic minori-

closing the session the Arch bishop of Canterbury, Dr. Robert Runcie, said: "I want to tell you how keen I am on this whole operation, and I am not cynical about it."

The Church of England Dishops in the House of Lords were to seek to restore "the centuries old tradition that somebody born in the country was a Briton", Dr Runcie said

on BBC radio yesterday.

This fundamental amendment to the Government's nationality Bill was to be moved today in the Lords, and he hoped the Government would be able to make a real gesture by accept-

### Scargill election warning

From Paul Routledge Labour Editor . St Helier

ing economic recession which appears to have been destroying black jobs in Liverpool, faster than those of whites. As The Government's pay policy is doomed, but conflict over faster than those of whites. As factory after factory has closed, the city council has become much the biggest single employer. Yet while blacks had been receiving reasonably equal treatment in the search of manufacturing jobs, a recent wage restraint and unemploy-ment between the unions and the Cabinet could trigger an early general election at any time in the next two years. Mr Arthor Scargill, the Yorkshire miners' president, predicted

trade union movement will say enough is enough; we are sick of three million unemployed and lower living standards, and fed-up with the monetarist strategy. he said on the eve of the National Union of Mineworkers conference in Jersey. The revolt over government pay policy and its whole economic and political strategy could energe at any time, in any one of a number of industries, including the railways and 'coalmining. It could form the conditions for forcing a general election. trade union movement will say

are reasonably confident of pushing through a militant pay claim this week committing NUM negotiators to demand a f19.15 rise to £100 a week in the lowest wage in the industry, with consequential rises right up the wage scale. The claim is backed, with the threat of

gill insisted after a meeting of the Yorkshire delegation. It is also against the Government's monetarist policy and their whole economic strategy.

"We shall be campaigning for an early general election so we can give an opportunity to the people to get rid of the Tory Government and replace it with a left Labour government putting into effect socialist policies. If they can take that step in France, I am convinced we can take it in Britain."

As disclosed in The Times on June 29, Mr Michael McGahey, Communist president of the Scottish pitmen, is expected this week to take the TUC General Council nomination from his moderate rival, Mr Ray Chadburn, the Nottinghamshire

Scargill's battle plan, page 12

By David Felton

union movement to cope with new economic circumstances, is to be laid before the annual

runs of schemes to improve the effectiveness of the movement and will probably lead to higher subscriptions for the country's 12 million trade

Among the suggestions is for a TUC bargaining bulletin to be issued to provide unions with information on pay movements, jobs and income security and new technology; a TUC journal, to operate for be-tween 12 and 18 months to assess its effectiveness, and a scheme based in one TUC region to identify weaknesses in union education facilities.

CLOSED SHOP DEAL The new Labour-controlled Derbyshire County Council yesterday reintroduced a closed hop agreement with unions epresenting 13,500 manual representing 13,500 manual workers. Objectors will be able to pay union subscriptions to a



The irony of the poster is ignored by these young blacks in Toxteth, Liverpool.

# Liverpool: the threat of disaster

Brixton both the Anglian Bishop of Liverpool, the Right Rev David Sheppard, and the Roman Catholic Archbishop, the Most Rev Derek Worlock, said they hoped there would be no similar trouble in the city but added that "it would be a brave man who would say that there is no risk."

Mr Wally Brown, a Liverpoolborn black in charge of the Methodist centre for further education, said: "Given the wrong conditions and a trigger

black faces behind the driving Brixton both the Anglian Bishop wheels of buses. Figures com-piled last October showed that out of 1,738 people employed in the city's environmental health department there were 10 black males and one black female. The social services department, which employs 3,840 people, has 11 black males and 24 black females on its payroll.

Since the race riots in Bristol and Brixton, civic leaders in Liverpool have spent much time asking if similar events could happen in their city.

Optimists point to its third and fourth generation black community. About 40 per cent of Liverpool's estimated 30,000 blacks are British-born and some have family links with the city going back to the eighteenth century. In his last annual report the chief constable wrote that community relations were

that community relations were in "a very healthy position" and added that he did not fore-see any serious difficulties.

Pessimists point to the surg-

report said there were only 169 among the council's 22,000

An observant visitor, even as

close as Manchester, let alone

shouted one of the Indian youths wandering down The Broadway in Southall late on

men standing within earshot, was little more than mock

But it did reflect the pride,

But it did retermine mingled with apprehension, that came in the aftermath of the clashes in which about 60 policemen were injured and the normally quier streets of the saburo known as "Little saburo known as "Little

"They (the skinheads) were bearen and smashed. If they had been left alone free to roam the streets, they would be back tomorrow doing the same thing." Mr Mohammad Asshar coordinator of the

Asghar, coordinator of the local legal aid centre, said.

The \_overall unemployme

level in the inner areas of Liverpool is 25 per cent. Unemployment among blacks which can only be estimated because British-born blacks are not categorized separately, generally conceded to be

trated in the large depressed area of Liverpool 8—Toxteth. Some have moved out into the suburbs but not in any signifi-

Over the past weekend some of the pessimists, worst fears have become facts. Both the police and the city council have been accused in recent months of sweeping the race issue under of sweeping the race issue under the carpet simply because there had been hitherto no serious riots. There was a near-riot re-cently when 150 supporters of the Maze hunger-strikers marched through a black area and attracted a counter-demonwrong conditions and a trigger it could happen." Liverpool University sociology department ended a profile of the area prepared for the House of Commons Home Affairs Committee with the words: "Time is running out. A combination of one of Britain's bleakest as hopeful.

That complacency has cer-tainly been joited. The history books reveal that Liverpool was memployment areas with one of Britain's most disadvantaged black communities could be black population in the The black population in the is a community largely an in racial origin,

stemming either from original immigrants from West Africa or from the West Indian immi-

says there is no disruption in land and the area around a borehole is so small that it can almost be hidden by a small building. "The high capital costs of a surface reservoir are replaced by a development which can be spread over stages, as more storage is needed and additional bore holes are sunk. But operating costs are higher for pumping water back to the surface than for discharging stration of Protestants. But the fact that it did not spread to the black community was seen supplies from surface reser In the first phas of the Stourbridge experiment, small observation boreholes

the scene of one of Britain's first race riots in 1919, when Charles Wootton, who has had a local adult education centre named after him, was drowned in the South Dock. Sixty-two years later few would predict that Liverpool might also be the scene of the last battle between blacks and whites in Britain's depressed inner cities.

1986; then more than two million gallons a day will be available to Stourbidge, where supplies are always in heavy demand. The Bunger Sandstone bets cover a very large part of the of Scuntherpe to Nottingham of Scanthorpe to Nottingham and another from east of Cannock to below Birmingham. Another long belt curves from north to south from the Trent at Burton to below Rugby. And the largest stratum in the Midlands covers much of a triangle from Stoke to west a Shrewsbury and almost a Worcester in the south. In the Severn-Trent region-

are being drilled to discover

from far the water spreads
through the sandstone
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Science report

Reservoir

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By Pearce Wright

Runter Sandstone, a layer of porous rock, is being used

in a £2m experiment to

create new ways of storing

The idea is to use the sandstone as an underground

reservoir which is filled dur.

ing the winter months to supplement supplies during

rainless months.
The Severn-Trent Water

Authority has started testing

at a site near Stourbridge, in

Worcestershire by drilling borehole three feet in di

meter to a depth, eventually of between 500ft and 600ft

Artificial recharging of underground aquifers in the

wet season has been a subject

of extensive research in the United Kingdom and else-where, particularly in chalk reservoirs. But the method

has never been used to develop a man-made store in

porous sandstone.
The scheme has man

attractions. In theory the

capacity available is far greater than a surface reservoir space that is prac-

Some of the other advan

Jeremy Josephs, a specialist in hydrology, of the Water Research Centre, at Medment

ham, in Buckinghamshire, He

ticably available.

In the Severn-Trent region more than one third of public water supplies are obtained already by pumping from underground areas. Aquifer recharge from rivers would substantially increase the supplies. And the standstone sponge has an advantage over chalk because it has a far higher capacity. In principle as much as 35 per cent of the volume could be used for



Concern is etched on the faces of these members of the Asian community in Southall.

# Southall: the pride and the apprehension

coming back in force. "We will be easy for them and they will get the same treatment," one tall youth said. Saturday night, a few hundred yards from the gutted remains of a public house destroyed in the rioring the night before. His comment made for the benefit of half a dozen police-

Traditionally considered less volatile than the West Indians, they have demonstrated that they can mo longer be the butt of racialist attacks. They spoke as if a traditionally peaceful people had been pushed to the brink by the blatanchy provocative influx of skinheads and had decided to take the law into their own hands. their own hands. The attitude of the police is appalling," Mr Asgher said. "They dehy there is such a thing as a racist attack normally quiet streets of the suburb known as "Little India" were littered with bricks and broken glass.
There was no doubt, how, ever, that the Asian community felt it had little choice but to drive the 200 skinheads out of:

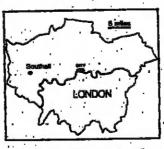
and by their inactivity they encourage shem. Skinheads know they can get away with attacking a family and they will do it again."

do it again."

Most Asians in Southall would not go so far in their condemnation as Mr Asghar, although they feel the police hould have prevented the skinshould have prevented the skin-heads entering Southall on Friday and should not have protected them from what they consider was the justified wrath The police view is very dif-

Gangs of Asian youths roamed the streets over the weekend after they heard tions that they should have rumours the skinheads were known that a skinhead band

was playing at the Hambrough Tavern and taken precautions. "How can we know unless someone tells us?" one angry police officer asked.
While Mr Asgiar would accept that if the skinheads had not arrived there would have been no trouble, he says racially inspired attacks have increased recently. increased recently.



He cited the cases of an Asian youth who was burnt with molten wax, another who had white paint poured over him by skinheads and one who had the initials of the National Front scratched on his strenger. his stomach.

The police in turn point to the decline in reported attacks in Southall compared with an area like Brixton "There has not been an up-surge in racially motivated

generalize from the particular,"
the police officer said.
Such attitudes Such attitudes come from a long history in Southall of sporadic incidents. Asians started moving into the area in 1960s the late 1950s and early 1960s and white residents soon began

Since then there has been a since then there has been a steady influx and about half the population of the town of 60,000 is Asian or West Indian, mainly Sikhs from the Punjab. In 1976 an Asian youth was stabled to death and in 1979 Mr Blair Peach, a New Zealand teacher, was killed during a demonstration against a National Front meeting at the

But despite these occur-rences the community has re-mained remarkably stable. The word Asians most frequently used to describe their town was "friendly". The Rev Roy. Smith, a local

The Rev Roy Smith, a local Anglican clergyman, said: "We get along well. When there is trouble they all stand together, whether they are Sikhs, Muslims or Hindus. They feel they are fighting for survival and are being discriminated against. They also feel it is their town and they don't is their town and they don't want anybody coming in and abusing their people."

### St Paul's choir in cash crisis

St Paul's Cathedral choir is facing a crash crisis and Canon John Collins, the carhedral treasurer, is leading a group determined to secure its fature by an appeal for funds. In his morning service

sermon yesterday Canon Collins made it clear that unless money flowed in quickly the choir London's great cathedral would never be the same again. Members of the Cathedral

Chapter are said to be divided over how to deal with the crisis Some want to launch a drive for funds while others want to reduce the number of chori-

Canon Collins said yesterdal that he wanted a public fund-raising campaign, but went on disagreement majority of my colleagues. " If the City of London, the

nation and indeed the whole English-speaking world were made fully aware of the threst to our treasured heritage of music, I feel confident the would respond. He said the number of men

in the choir and the number of sung services were being reduced and that the parents of choristers, despite the provisions of the cathedral statutes, were being charged higher and higher fees, which threatened to turn a school for singers the into an elitist school for the sons of affluent parents.

"All this is surely a tragedy", he said. According to Canon Collins it costs £2,500 to keep each of the 40 choristers at the school for a constant of the school for a year, and £250,000 to rull all the cathedral's musical

YOUTHS CHARGED

Two youths are to appear at Liverpool Magistrates Court today charged with offences arising out of an incident of Saturday in which Police Constable Raymond Davenport ded after he was dragged 200 yards by a car which hit a bus shelter.

### so much of my time that I can-not do my MP's job as well as I should, I will resign as an Urban Development Corporation interfered too much with his duties as an MP. Mr Mellish, MP for Southwark, Bermondsey, has said he the competitiveness of British exports and boosting the home market, further stimulating the economy. But he admitted it could have implications for the might consider resigning be-cause of political differences

tion post. Labour's national executive

party.
Mr Mellish told The Times

# Mellish may resign seat for docklands post

vesterday that he would resign

his constituency party, which has occused him of being out of touch with the main-stream of local party opinion. It has also criticized him for taking the development corpora-

committee is inquiring into the running of the Bermondsey

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MP. I will know by the Mr Mellish's resignation would again inevitably fuel speculation over the possibility of Mrs Shirley Williams fight-

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for the PLO could not promote peace and would only harden attitudes and increase bitterness But affirming the need for

spiritual renewal, he added:
"As Jews, for so long victims of oppression, persecution and discrimination, we can never be indifferent to the suffering of others or to injustice inflicted on any part of the human family" family."

Jewish faith and history

taught that ultimately Jewish security depends on their own worthiness and redemption on their own merit, he said. Mr Peter Shore, former, Labour spokesman on foreign affairs, gave warning that Lord Carrington and the European Community should not be so foolish as to imagine they could come forward as disinter-

when they were dependent on Arab oil. "The best thing you can do", he advised the Foreign Secretary, "is to take away your Venice document (on Middle East policy), tear it up and

ested parties in the Middle East

starr again. Lord Soper, the Methodist leader, also drew the cheers of the crowd when he declared that terrorism must be con-demned on Christian and every other principle. Israel was com-pletely right to have nothing to do with the PLO, he said.

"At some stage in the not too distant future the British

While ministers have consistently emphasized that the Government has no exchange rate target, that does not mean to say that they pay no arrenion to the exchange rate. Indeed, it is fully recognized in Whitehall that a fall in the exchange rate puts upward pressure on prices and makes the Government's counter-inflationary policy more difficult flationary policy more difficult The Government's message that there will be no change of course on economic policy was reinforced yesterday by Mr David Howell, Secretary of State for Energy.

He Told Conservatives in Oxford: We have had set-backs, tactical retreats, unfore-

obstacles; but we have general election. Left-wing coalfield leaders reappearance on the political not deviated from what we said stage last week.

It was said in Whitehall that ginning and we are not going there was nothing unusual about to deviate now. Ministers open campaign

industrial action.

"This wage claim is not simply a claim against the National Coal Board", Mr. Scar-

That is their declaration, not ours.
We shall be campaigning

no farther?.

The Labour Party will intensify its Warrington campaign this week. Several shadow ministers including Mr Stanley Orme (industry), Mr Neil Kinneck (education), Mr Peter Shore (economics) and Mr Merlyn Rees (energy) will be speaking in support of Mr Douglas Hoyle.

Nominations close today.

### TUC AIMS TO **IMPROVE ITS** EFFICIENCY

Labour Reporter A development programme to improve the operations of the TUC and help the trade

is to be and before the anidal policy-making Congress in September.

If approved, the programme will commit the TUC to trial

unionists.

### Foot says Labour would cut tax to save jobs By Our Political Staff

Cuts in income tax for most of his plan but he conceded

working people would be part that it would lead to increased of a reflation programme to be carried out by the next Labour much of that would be off-set government in an attempt to by the subsequent growth in the reduce unemployment, Mr reduce unemployment, Mr e Michael Foot, the Labour Party leader, said on Saturday.

Without referring to any
policy for incomes, Mr Foot

told an unemployment rally in Cardiff that a Labour govern-ment would increase public ex-penditure on essential social and community services, cut particularly burdensome in-direct taxes like the national insurance surcharge and the heavy duty on oil, and encourage big modernization programmes in the nationalized industries and public services. The income tax cuts would at least restore the real value of personal allowances.

Mr Foot did not give the cost

Such a policy of expansion would probably cause the level of the pound to fall, improving

balance of payments and posed problems of dealing with inflation and bottlenecks in industry.
The Opposition, he said, was
examining such difficulties
with the trade unions.
The Conservatives would ask

how Labour would pay for the programme. "One part of the answer is we shall borrow the money, as other countries have with the trade unions.

# By Philip Webster, Political Staff

Mr Robert Mellish, the for-mer Labour housing minister much involved with the new and government chief whip, said corporation. The key to dockfrom Parliament in the autumn if he found that his work as vice-chairman of the Docklands try, and, if I find that it takes

ing the seat. It is a Labour stronghold and has a substantial Catholic population.

Mrs Williams, who is a Catholic, has said she would

like to fight an autumn election Mr Mellish gave a warning tolerate an extremist replacing

# Short life for the lest of Navy's £1,000m porou stand-in deterrent

The operational phase of the Royal Navy's controversial £1,000m Chevaline nuclear deterrent will be short-lived, even if the imminent trial of the improved Polaris missile system off Cape Canaveral, Florida, succeeds where the last one failed.

All four submarines of the All four submarines of the Polaris squadron will not be fitted with Chevaline until late 1987 or early 1988, about four years before the start of their planned replacement by the Trident strategic nuclear force.

Thanks to its warheads and decore refusing to separate

Thanks to its warheads and decoys refusing to separate satisfactorily at the most recent attempt, there is no chance that the submarine HMS Revenge will be equipped with the new system when it completes its 18-month refit in Rosyth dockyard early next year.

As Sir David Cardwell, Chief of Defence Progression. As Sir David Cardwell, Chief of Defence Procurement, revealed to the Commons Public Accounts Committee on February 18, the minutes of which were recently released, the Polaris boats need to be modified before Chevaline can be fired incide their missile comparate.

ted inside their missile compartments.
One of several differences be-One of several differences be-tween the front end of the Polaris A3 missile and Cheva-line is that Chevaline needs liquid rather than solid fuel to propel certain sections of it. Chevaline cannot get to sea before mid-1983; when HMS Resolution is due to finish its next refit. According to the

next refit. According to the refit cycle for the Polaris force, HMS Repulse should carry Chevaline by early 1985, HMS Renown by mid-1986 and the Revenge will not now receive the warheads until the end of 1887 at the believing of 1887. 1987 or the beginning of 1988. The Polaris-Chevaline squadron is due to be withdrawn progressively from 1992 to be replaced by Trident boats as they are

Staff of the Atomic Weapons Research Establishment, at Al-dermaston, where the concept of Chevaline was developed, believe they understand what went wrong during the last trial off the United States Air Force

Base at Cape Canaveral. The serback was described last week as one of these silly little things —ir was only one small probit seems, however, that with

any non-proven system of the complexity of Chevaline, there can be no such thing as certainty about it achieving success in any particular trial. The Chevaline system, devel-oped in the strictest secrecy by the Heath, Wilson and

by the Heath, Wilson Callaghan administrations designed to enable the British strategic deterrent to penetrate the anti-ballistic missile system shielding Moscow until the vastly superior Trident force goes on patrol.

It appears that the Ministry of Defence would be unlikely to resist a thorough investiga-tion of the procurement of Chevaline should the Public Accounts Committee decide to undertake the task. In that event, three main questions would confront MPs.

Was it necessary to upgrade the Polaris A3 system in the first place? How badly has the enterprise been handled in terms of financial control? Was terms of financial control? Was it right that its true scale and cost should have been kept from Parliament until January 1980, nearly six years after a Cabinet Committee of five ministers had approved its going sheed?

A Public Accounts Committee investigation would be likely to discover a dire failure in financial coutrol between the spring of 1974, when Sir Harold Wilson's Cabinet Committee met. and early 1977, when action was taken inside the Ministry of Defence to remedy the deficiency.

Despite the failure of the last separation trial, the estimate of £1,000m for Chevalina is still accurate according to the ministry. The sum includes contingency reserve big en ough to mop up any extra ex-penditure arising from the failure and the delay it has caused.

Mr Christopher Bishop, managing director of the Phil-harmonia, welcomed the inclu-

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Jean Mermoz, a French trawler (foreground), with a naval boarding party on board, causing a slight collision while turning hard to starboard in an attempt to flee HMS Alderney, an off-shore protection vessel. The trawler was escorted into Grimsby yesterday.

### Law to check house ownership sought

From Our Correspondent, St. Peter Port

Guernsey's housing authority wants officials to have the right to enter any premises, if need be by force, where there is a suspected breach of the local law controlling the occupation of property by non-islanders.

The authority would have to seek a warrant, providing suffi-

seek a warrant, providing suffi-cient information under oath to satisfy the Bailiff, the head of the island's judiciary, that there was reasonable ground for believing the law was being

Anyone intentionally obstructing an official with a warrant would be liable to a fine of up to £500.

The provision is included in the right of entry became a housing law that goes before appearent only when the legistation was being drafted.

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The proposed extension of the proposed extension of the housing authority's powers could provoke much debate, since it was not among the officers for investigation. That original proposals, approved 15 leads to time-consuming and months ago, for a revised house expensive administration proing law to replace the one that cedures, he maintains. alleged illegal occupation often

### Stansted plan 'an intolerable intrusion '

The expansion of Stansted as London's third airport would be an unthinkable and intolerable intrusion upon the countryside. Mr Christopher Hall, editor of The Countryman and former director of the Council for the Protection of Rural England, said yesterday. Addressing an open-air rally organized by the Ramblers' Association, in Harfield Forest, near the airport, Mr Hall said the proposed development was usually debated in terms of the alleged needs of air traffic and the objections of local

often ignored London was all too often ignored London was one of the most fortunate cities in the world in possessing an incomparable countryside forming a green behr around it.

"A new international airport is a new city. It will have its own sprawling complex of highways and its acres of barren car parks. Its horels will tower above the fields. Its workers will require to be housed in towns and villages for scores of miles around.

In the latest issue of the Town and Country Planning Association journal, Mr David Lock a member of the association's executive, argues that Mr. Graham Eyre, QC, the inspector at the forthcoming inquiry, has been given an impossible brief that may even be illegal.

Although the law says that the inspector must report to the Secretary of State for the Environment on the British Airports Authority's proposals for Stansted, he has also been told to inquire into any alternative, for which there need be no planning application at all.

The law does not recognize development proposals that are not properly made, Mr Lock says. Furthermore, the inquiry cannot legally examine the question of the extra 2,500 acres which the authority has suggested should be safeguarded for possible future growth since no formal planning consent has been sought.

# GPs face questioning on free health care

Family doctors may be asked to say which of their patients should pay for hospital treatment, under government plans to charge overseas visitors for health care.

Proposale that hospital clerks tors should say in their hospital referral letters which patients normally live in Britain and are therefore entitled to free

health care.

Proposals that hospital clerks should determine which patients are entitled to free treatment by asking them about their present and past addresses have received considerable criticism.

The Government has received treatment The Government has been considering such an option as an alternative to its original proposals. It discounted at an early stage the possibility of asking patients to produce their NHS cards, because many people are not registered with a doctor and therefore do not representations from 71 area health authorities, 87 community health councils, nine trade union budies and 37 health districts on their proa doctor and therefore do not have a card. Bur the British Medical Asso-

posals to charge overseas visitors, and many have sug-gested that their plans are impractical. ciation opposes the idea of involving general practitioners be-cause it says they already have enough administrative work. The association said: "While GPs are not in favour of people There are fears that coloured patients will be questioned more frequently and more rigorously by hospital staff than white patients. Administrative costs could also be increased. receiving free health care when more frequently and more receiving free health care when rigorously by hospital staff than they are not entitled to it, they white patients. Administrative feel they elready carry too great costs could also be increased. an administrative burden for the NHS, by having to sign has postponed introducing its sickness certificates, for exscheme from the original start ample. They would not be ing date of October 1 to early prepared to increase this; adment year, and has set up a ministrative burden, so other working group of National ways will have to be found. ing date of October 1 to early next year, and has set up a working group of National Health Service officers and community relations represen-tatives to look at ways of find-

ways will have to be found."
The Government estimates an extra £5m could be raised by tightening the payment procedures. Emergency of would still be treated free

### Mountbatten statue scheme

dedicated to the late Lord Mountbatten of Burma is made in a letter to The Times today signed by the Prime Minister and the leaders of the Opposition and the Liberal Party, among others.

ing our whether a patient is entitled to free treatment.

They propose a statue in naval uniform, sited in London to the south of Horse Guards Parade and facing the Old Admiralty Building. They say that any money received in excess of the cost would go to the Mountbatten Memorial Trust. The other signatories are representatives of the three Services and public figures who were associated with Lord Mounthatien, They are:
Field-Marshal Lord Harding
of Petherton, Chief, of the
Imperial General Staff from

A proposal to erect a statue 1952 to 1955; Lord Trevelyan, edicated to the late Lord a senior official in the Indian countbatten of Burma is made Political Service until 1947, and later ambassador to the USSR; Lord Zuckerman, OM, FRS, Chief Scientific Adviser to the Government, 1964-1971; Mar-shal of the Royal Air Force Sir

shal of the Royal Air Force Sir Dermot Boyle, Chief of the Air Staff, 1956-1959; and Admiral of the Fleet Sir Caspar John, Vice-Chief of the Naval Staff, 1957 to 1960.

Lord Mountbatten died in August, 1979, when a bomb planted by the Provisional IRA exploded on board the boat which he and his family had embarked on at Mullachmore. embarked on at Mullachmore co Sligo.

made in letters to The Times in November, 1979:

### Orchestras deprived of grants for new works

By Martin Huckerby, Music Reporter He felt the new system was a retrograde step and the LSO was protesting to the council about the end of the special

stream

The

Relations between the Arts Council and the four independ-ent London orchestras have series of modern music con-certs, Music of Eight Decades, at the Festival Hall and Queen
Stephen Elizabeth Hall next season.

attempt to build an audience apartheid system could for contemporary music on the system contemporary south Bank; it will, however, music every feature of the system contemporary music every feature for the system of the syste use up all the Arts Council funds available in the coming year to subsidize contemporary work by the big orchestras at the Festival Hall.

In previous years the four orchestras have received special grants towards presenting modern works in their reg-ular programmes. The extra subsidy is needed because new works require more rehearsal but usually draw smaller

To their anger, the orchestres have learnt that no such grants will be available for

Mr Basil Deane, the council's director of music, said that when they were discussing plans for Music of Eight Decades, a series of eight consequences as the series of eight consequences. Decades, a series of eight con-certs presented by the London Orchestral Concert Board and the BBC, "we did not know then that it would turn out that there would be virtually nothing for other concerts". He said that was a pity; they would like to support other work, but there was not enough money.

enough money.

Two of the big orchestras, the London Symphony and the Philharmonia, are giving con-certs which have been included in the new series, but neither is completely happy with the

arrangement.
Mr Peter Hemmings, managing director of the LSO, said the new series should not be at the expense of the orchestras' efforts to promote contem-porary music.

theory in

By Arthur Reed Air Correspondent

It was a view echoed by Mr Stephen Crabtree, managing director of the London Phil

rne /46, on a high with times tons of mail from Gatwick to East Midland Airport, Derby, last Friday week, fell from about 9,000ft into a field near Nailstone, Leicestershire, killing the two pilots and a cargo-handler on board.

British Aerospace, manufac-turer of this 748 and about three bundred and fifty others of the same type, said at the weekend: "The initial cause of the accident is being investigated on evidence that the star-board rear baggage door became open in flight".

The Royal Philharmonic expressed great concern at the plan. "The Arts Council cannot expect us to be artistic if we go out of business for it". It had been expecting help towards the cost of performing a new commission from Thea Musgrave and a fiftieth birthday concert for Malcolm Williamson. Neither British Aerospace nor the investigators would go for-

Several orchestras said they were critized by the council, and other bodies, for playing safe with their programmes, In one of his last radio messages the captain of the 748 reported that the aircraft had presenting popular works to ensure large audiences; but the change in subsidy could force them to be even more suddenly opening in flight.

The council, however, feels that in recent years the big orchestras have not demon-

The accident investigators are trying to establish whether there was a fault in the cargo

# Loose door plane crash

Department of Trade officials investigating the crash of a Dan-Air 748 airliner are inclin-ing towards the theory that a loose cargo door was the cause. Metal fatigue has been almost

The 748, on a flight with three

sion in the new series of the Philharmonia's concert next May, with Peter Maxwell Davies's Black Pentecost, but deplored the fact that therewas no money at all for the orchestras to play contemporary music in the 1981-82 financial year. Royal Philharmonic

> ther. But the speculation in the aviation industry is that the door broke away and struck the tail damaging the controls to such an extent that the twin turbo-prop airliner went into an uncontrollable dive in which the wings broke off.

suffered severe decompression, which could be caused by a door The 748 has a system of warn-

ing lights which come on on the flightdeck if the doors are not securely fastened.

door locking mechanism; whether it was fastened securely before leaving Gatwick; and, if not, whether the warning system was working properly.

### Archaeology

strated a strong commitment to new music. Some of the special subsidies have gode to

works by such composers as Bortok, Prokofiev and Walton -hardly the avant-garde.

Next year the council will reconsider the new policy.

# New dates question origins of Irish tombs

By Norman Hammond, Archaeology Correspondent,

Swedish archaeologists working in co Sligo in north-west Ireland have obtained surprisingly early radiocarbon dates for some of the megalithic tombs in the famous Carrowtombs in the famous Carrowmore cemetery. According to
Professor Glyn Daniel, a noted
authority on megaliths, the
results "question the existing
model used to explain the origins of the two main types of
Irish megaliths (the court
trains and the passage
graves)". The earliest of 34 dates

the earliest of 54 bates obtained from Carrowmore by Dr Göran Burenhult is of 3800 plus/minus 85 BC, while other dates span the period down to 3000 BC; in calendar years these dates calibrate to 4580 to 7710 BC making the messithic

these dates calibrate to 4580 to 3710 BC, making the megalithic tombs of Ireland as old as the first cities in Mesopotamia.

Dr Burenhult, of the Institute of Archaeology at Stockholm University, feels that "all the evidence available today indicates that the megalithic tombs and circles at Carrowmore are the earliest more, however, as Professor Daniel says in the current issue of Antiquity, is that the tombs and probably represent the megalithic introduction into these islands. The dates are also among the earliest for mega-lithic architecture anywhere.

Swedish archaeologists working in co Sligo in north-west western England, Wales and past reland have obtained surprisers or some of the megalirhic and a date from Trefignath in Anglesey of 3100 plus/minus on the famous Carrow-tore cemetery. According to 70 BC recently published controlled to the proposed of the megalirhic recently published controlled to the recently published controlled to the proposed tombs of had been there for generations past. The traditional sterotype, farming community equals megalithic monuments, can not be upheld, and a development within a pre-existing mesolithic population is supported by offerings of uni-

firms this pattern.

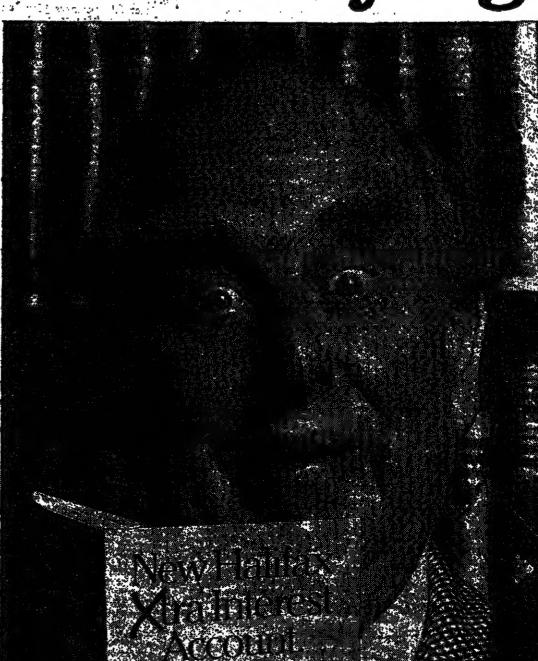
In Ireland itself the great passage-graves of the Boyne Valley, such as Newgrange and Knowth, have dates from 2900 to 2500 BC, roughly 3700 to 3200 BC in calendar years, while the court cairns, considered by Irish archaeologists the earliest in the sequence of development, have dates of only 2500 to 2100 BC, or 330 to 2500 BC in calendar years. Dr Burenhult's work suggests the Boyne tombs are "the absolute maximum and perhaps the end of the megalithic socioeconomy in the religious pattern of this community", while the court cairns are an even

of Antiquity, is that the tombs may well have been built not by settled neolithic farmers mong the earliest for mega-ithic architecture anywhere. but by mesolithic gatherers Within the British Isles the and fishermen whose ancestors

honger be upheld, and a de-velopment within a pre-existing mesolithic population is sup-ported by offerings of un-opened seashells in the exca-vared monuments", Dr Buren-bult concludes. hult concludes. His conclusion reflects that

His conclusion reflects that reached by Professor Grahame Clark in studying the megalithic tombs of Sweden. Professor Clark has noted the importance of coastal and marine resources during the earliest period of megalith building there, with a subsequent shift to good farmland. The diffusion of megalithic The diffusion of megalithic architecture from the Mediter architecture from the Mediter-ranean, a theory fashionable for many years but under attack since the early 1960s, now seems to be roundly contro-verted: not only were its builders fishermen rather than farmers, but their develop-ment of the social structure needed to build these tombs and needed to build these tombs and stone circles would seem to have occurred locally, without benefit of the more organized Source: Antiquity, 55 No 214, 82-85, July 1981.

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# Warsaw disappoints its partners in Comecon

After a three-day conference, 10 members of the Communist economic grouping Comecon, have agreed in principle on the main guidelines for their five-year plans, but failed to re-solve their differences over a number of crucial details. Final agreement has been postponed until the next conference in a vear's time.

Poland's uncertain economic situation an dits delegation's failure to explain where the Polish economy is headed, is regarded as a principal stumbling block by some delegations whose representatives gations whose representatives did not conceal their dis-appointment that the Poles came here primarily to win political support rather than engage in a discussion over the future of their economy.

"We were waiting for them to give us detailed explanations as to where they expect their economy to go," one East Euro-pean delegate said. Although Poland received a sympathetic hearing it was nevertheless felt thar its principal aims were to reassure its allies that the Polish Communists were able to resolve the crisis and to request their Comecon partners to go on supplying Poland with goods already agreed upon.

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Poland's economic difficulties have delayed the
national five-year plan. But the
feeling after the conference
here is that its Comecon partners are now reconciled to the
fact that Poland will not be
able to keep its trade commitments for several years.

TAINTED OIL

**DEATHS** 

REACH 58

From Our Own Correspondent Madrid, July 5

The number of deaths caused by tainted cooking oil rose to 58 here this weekend, as Spanish authorities discovered

toxic substances in two regis-tered brands, in addition to those already found in un-labelled containers.

The latest death in the out-

break of poisoning, which was originally mistaken for an epidemic of atypical pneumonia, was that of a 24-year-old man

The Madrid newspaper El

Pais said in a front-page report

today that statistics for produc-

tion and sale of olive oil in Spain suggested that a quarter of it did not come from olives.

The newspaper calculated

that every year approximately 100,000 tons of oils and fats of

From Dessa Trevisan, Sofia, July 5 A solution to its economic and main food exporters, Hunproblems was not discussed as gary, Romania and Bulgaria, it was felt that the core should made strong pleas for higher be found at home before aricultural prices; but there is

Comecon was asked to make any substantial contribution. Poland has already caused considerable problems for its partners as many of its deliveries of goods, such as coal, have been stopped, re-

duced or delayed. But Poland got a friendly hearing although there was disappointment over the lack of any programme which the conference could have acted

Clearly Poland's difficulties are having serious repercus-sions on all the countries linked to it through Comecon's inter-locking barter trade system. This has made it practically impossible to plan ahead.

The debate on the co-ordination of economic plans until 1985 will be resumed at the next Comecon conference which is to take place in Budapest in a year's time. Before then, a summit of Comecon party leaders which Mr Lubomir Strougal, the Czechoslovak Prime Minister, said would not take place until early next year, ought to re-solve the deadlock, which is not only due to Poland but to con-tinuing differences over general

issues.

The main areas of disagreement are over energy, machine building, chemicals and agricultural prices and payment which

in the Basque country today.

In Barracaldo, near Bilbao,

Lieutenant Magin Fernández

Ferrero, aged 44, father of two

children, was shot in the back

shortly before 9 am by two

unidentified men as he was

opening a news-stand owned by

The ammunition used, 9 mm

parabellum, reinforced police suspicions that the assassination

was carried out by the military

his family near his home.

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I howement, ETA.

Less than three hours earlier, in Oyarzum, near San Sebastian, gunmen ambushed two police

Guerrillas kill Spanish

soldier and policeman

From Harry Debelius, Madrid, July 5

Terrorists shot dead an army cars, killing Secor Luis Miranda

lieutenant and a Civil Guard
policeman, and seriously
wounded another member of
the Civil Guard in two attacks
in the Basque country today.

their future plans.

In energy policy, the East European countries are pressing hard for increased Soviet oil deliveries at prices which oil deliveries at prices which are still below international ones. But the message which Mr Nikolai Tikhonov, the Soviet Prime Minister, conveyed was that Moscow is sticking to the decision to keep oil

ne common agricultural policy except that all the participants

agreed that more attention should be paid to agriculture in

Mr Tikhonov said that this meeting would facilitate pre-paration for a political summir of Comecon states which the Eastern European countries are now pressing for, especially as all of them are feeling the effects of the energy crists.

Romania, for example, is keen to provide labour, equipment and money in order to take part in joint projects that would assure an expansion of energy supplies from the Sovier

supplies to Eastern Europe at this year's level of 80 million

tonnes for the next five years.

the meeting, a Romanian dele-gate said that it failed to resolve the main problem. Be-cause of failure to agree on such matters as energy and price reform all the main problems left over from the last is now done through a cumber meeting in Prague are being some barter trade system.

The agricultural producers ing in Budapest.

The military wing of the ETA Markist-Leninist movement, was suspected of that attack,

Segor Alberto Oliart, the

minister of defence, was expec-ted in Bilbao this evening from Madrid to pay his last respects to the larest victims of political violence in the north.

Last Thursday two policemen were injured in Bilbao when a bomb in a parked van was deto-

nated by remote control as two police vehicles passed. On the

same day an explosion wrecked

an electric transformer, tempor-arily blacking out the rown of Llodio near the Basque regional

capital of Vitoria.



Defiant Arabs are accused of killing settlers

These four Palestinian Arabs, accused of killing six Jews in the town of Hebron last year, said in a statement at the start of their trial in Nablus yesterday that the victims were "land robbers" who deserved their fate (UPI reports). From the left they are Adnan Jaber, aged 33; Taisir Taha Abu Saina, aged 27, Muham-

mad Shubaqi, aged 36 and Yassir Zayadat, who is 31. They said they would not reply to the charges in court. "The only report we will make about our deeds will be to the Palestinian Revolution." The four, who were arrested last September, are said to have fired sub-machine guns and thrown grenades at Jewish settlers.

### France to continue atom sales

From Ian Murray Paris, July 5

The French Socialist Government expects to continue to sell muclear equipment for research and other civilian purposes, M Claude Cheysson, the Foreign Minister, seld in an interview in this week's issue of Le Nouvel Chesentein.

Asked about French policy in the light of the Israeli raid on an Iraqi nuclear reactor M Cheysson said a Socialist Government probably never would have signed the contract supply the Osirak reactor. This was not because it considered the reactor was dangerous or that the con-trols were insufficient, but because of what night have happened once the controls came to an end

came to an end. France would continue to make such sales but we will multiply the security to be sure that there is no danger of deviation to military use of the Country of the equally fraught question of arms sales to the Third World, M Cheysson explained that the new Government had

decided to view the subject

differently for the short, medium sad long terms. In the short term the decision had been taken to bonour coutracts. 48: Labour Alignment, 47;
National Religious Party, six;
Egudat Yisrail, four; Communists, four; Techiya, three;
Tani, three; Telemi, two;
Shinni, two; Citizens Rights,

# Begin certain to get government mandate

With only some seamen's joining the Government will votes to be counted, it appeared not require ideological concesserain today that Mr Menachem sions but rather political Begin will get the mandate to form the next Israeli Government but that the outgoing Likud and religious parties coalition is short of a parliamentary majority. Attempts have started to co-

opt three smaller parties to the coalition but there are ideological and personal difficulties.
The Likud's lead was cemented
this weekend when soldiers'
ballots were counted. Figures
are secret but the defence forces radio station reported

forces radio station reported that Likud support was 9 per cent greater than in the civilian sector, while Labour's was 3 per cent lower.

This gave the Likud an insurmountable lead of some 10,000, votes. The hardline Techiya party's vote in the armed forces was some 300 per cent greater than in the civilian population and this increased its representation to three seats. its representation to three seats. Official data is to be published on Wednesday but a member of the central elections committee said privately the results were as follows: Likud,

patronage.
Techiya. This party was formed by deputies who broke away from Likud because they opposed the terms of the Camp David peace treaty which provided for autonomy for West Bank and Gaza Strip Arabs and for the return of the whole of Sinai re Keyot

Sinai to Egypt. Telem. This party is led by Mr Moyshe Dayan who quit the tion of the autonomy plan. The main plank of his election platform called for unilateral implementation of selfrule by withdrawing Israel army officers responsible for government services and leaving it up to local Arab authorities to run

There appears to be no realistic alternative to a Likud-

dilemma. It had appeared on and off that Labour might emerge as the largest party and Likud as the party most likely to succeed in forming a government, and the President would have had to decide who should get the mandare.

Washington: Mr Begin today would be able to form a new coalition government within the next 10 days to two weeks (Nicholas Ashford writes).

led government and new elec-tions may be necessary if Mr Begin fails.

The outcome of the elections relieved President Navon of a

(VRP) group. However, three of Brazil's

ated the explanation, as have forces many professional associations. Since the explosion, however, notably the influential Bar Association, where a secretary was killed by a letter bomb last

year. Surprisingly, the conservative

# Syria discounts report of Soviet exercises

ment's imagination.

"If you really want to know about this, why don't you ask the people who started the story m the first place", one official in Damascus asked, indicating that he regarded the reports as little more than propaganda from Washington.

In reality, there has been con-siderable military traffic over the north Lebanese border with Syria in recent weeks, and it is indeed possible that Syrian troops are cooperating in some form of ship to shore communication exercises with Soviet navel craft in the eastern Medterranean.

The Russian vessels arrived in the area almost three weeks ago when Israel seemed on the ago waen Israel scenes on the point of attacking the Syrian ground-to-air missiles in Lebanon, but the easing of tension between Syria and Israel has now reduced the importance of

the Soviet presence.

Despite the reports from Washington, it seems unlikely that President Assad would now permit Soviet marine landing manoeuvres on the Syrian coastline. With most of the Arab world still deeply angered by the Russian military intervention in Afghanistan, President Assad—though he has himself never condemned the Soviet presence in Kabul—will not want to risk opprobrium by inviting Russian troops to visit

There are at present perhaps as many as 4,000 Soviet advisers in Syria and their movements are already closely circumscribed by the President who is anxious to prove to his Arab colleagues that be is no lackey

of the Sovier Union.
If Syrian-Soviet naval exercises have indeed begun today, they will be the first ever between the Soviet Union and an Arab state, and the most important military contact between Russians and Arabs since President Nasser invited 18,000 Soviet troops into Egypt

The Russian presence then prevented Israel from con-

Syria today maintained silence be happy for the Soviet Union's over reports of Soviet-Syrian shadow to pass briefly along military exercises off Latakia, the Syrian coast if this were to preferring to suggest that the further dissuade Israel from manoeuvres were a figment of any military adventures in the American State Depart Lebanon.

President Assad, together with General Mustara Tlas, his Defence Minister, was reported here to have paid a secret visit to Moscow last May, and at this meeting it is possible that Syria and the Soviet Union agreed on some form of military warning

to Israel. The prospect of a Soviet landing exercise, however, seems to have receded as American intercession lessene th chances of a Syrian-Israeli

Indeed, in the Lebanese hill resort of Beit Eddin today, foreign ministers from Lebanon, Kuwait and Arabia expressed their relief that the fighting between Syrian troops and Christian militias around the town of Zahle and in Beirut had ended. The ministers are hoping to call a round-table conference of

the different militia and poli-tical leaders in Lebanon to cement the present ceasefire, although the stumbling block remains Syria's insistence that the Christians break all their ties with Israel.

The ministers are also anxious to persuade at least some of the country's private some of the country's private armies to lay down their arms, and in this context Saudi Arabia is believed to have offered to buy the weapons from the militias.

Since the various street gangs in Beirut need the guns to ensure their continued financial well-being this idea is not likely to gain much favour with the Croesus minded leaders of the various factions.

At least one group a communist militie supported by the Muslim Shia community in Lebanon—lost a large quantity of explosives yesterday when the basement where they were stored blew up, killing seven people and wounding 53 others. Two storeys of the eight-storey-building collapsed as the explosions rumbled on into the

In general, however, Beirit has remained peaceful A third tinuing a series of air strikes crossing point between east and deep inside Egyptian territory west Beirut has been reopened and the Syrians would no doubt to motorists.

# Disquiet at bomb findings

From Patrick Knight, Sao Paulo, July 5

cert hall on May Day has con-cluded that the bomb was placed by terrorists of either the MR's group, or of the Van-guardia Revolucionaria Popular

An internal inquiry by Rio de Archbishop of Rio de Janeiro, Janeiro military authorities into Cardinal Eugenio Salles, said a bomb explosion outside a contrat he expected a different outcome. There has been extreme dis-

outer here over the bomb explosion, which was followed by another in a transformer house at the hall.

The events have indicated the

opposition parties have repudi- start of a split in the armed

had been more than 30 in the

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such as pensions to retired teachers, civil servants, NHS employees, certain retired members of the armed forces and the dependants of each group. It does not apply to National Insurance retirement pensions issued by DHSS.

# Prisoners of conscience



### Czechoslovakia: Peter Uhl

By Caroline Moorehead Mr Peter Uhl, an engineer Mr Peter Uhl, an engineer, aged 40, is serving a second sentence, in Mirov Prison. His five-year sentence began in October, 1979, when he was tharged with preparing statements about people he considered were being persecuted, and circulated them in Czechoslovakia and abroad.

He was a member of the Committee for the Defence of the Unjustly Persecuted and was one of six people charged. His disagreements with the Czechoslovak authorities began 12 years ago. In December, 1969 he and 18 colleagues were charged with producing and distributing "anti-Soviet materials in which they attacked the Socialist system of the Repub-lic".

In March, 1970, all were found guilty of subversion. Mr Uhl received the longest prison sentence, of four years. In 1977 he signed the Charter 77 dissident document.

Since beginning his current sentence, Mr Uhi has continued to protest. In October, 1980, he complained to the director of Mirov Prison about discrimination against political prisoners, and about conditions in the jail He was punished, ostensibly for resting before lights were put out at night and for insult-ing another prisoner.

International observers have for long complained about prison conditions for those convicted of political offences in Czechoslovakia.

### SYMPATHY STRIKE BY CONVICTS

Paris.—Seventy prisoners at Pontoise prison have joined a hunger strike in support of three warders who have been disciplined for what they con-sider to be minor offences. The warders began their hunger strike on Friday in Pontoise

# Hindu pilgrims pay homage

# Faith and sweat move Juggernaut

The great god Juggernaut, in the shape of a monstrous wooden idol, was carefully pre-pared in the temple here by some of his six thousand ser-

some of his six thousand servants for the journey to his summer house, one of the astonishing spectacles of India. In the temple square and broad main street of Puri there were hundreds of thousands of people. They had ritually cleansed themselves in the surface of the Ray of Rangal. More

cleansed themselves in the surf of the Bay of Bengal. More practically, the authorities had set up cholera inoculation stations on all the roads into town and had sprinkled the streets with disinfectant.

People began arriving at dawn on Saturday. They crammed every window, balcony, rootiop, ledge, tree and hoarding. It was hot and humid. Cows and bullocks ran amock. People fainted and were borne aloft by stretcher bearers who ran through the seething congregation like waiters in a crowded restaurant, preceded by men with red flags and whistles.

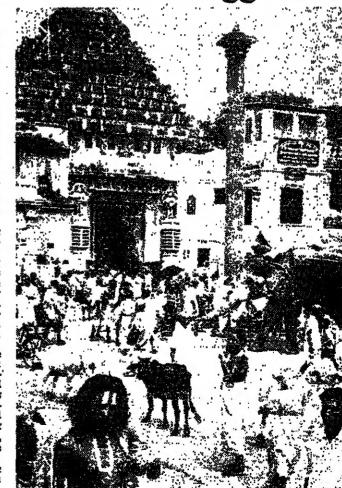
After some hours, with the After some hours, with the crowd roaring, Juggernaut emerged from his twelfth century temple. His name, derived from Sanskrit and Hindi is today spelt Jaganuath, pro-nounced juggernut locally; and

it soon became clear how it found its way into English, meaning a dreadful, inexorable meaning a dreadful, inexorable and destructive force.
But Juggernaut himself, the Lord of the Universe, is, in Hindu mythology, an incarnation of the might Vishnu and is a good and loving god, not at all dreadful.
His temple in Puri, forbidden to non-Hindus, is one of the

to non-Hindus, is one of the most revered, the goal of of the most important of Indian pilgrimages. His annual journey to his summer house, in the company of his equally ugly brother and sister, is not only a festival, it is an epic demonstration of the strength of belief, and of some of India's awesomeness. rwesomeness.

The three idols were installed in wooden chariots as large as houses. Juggernaut's had a platnouses, ruggernant's had a plar-form 35ft square and was mounted on 16 painted wheels, each 7ft in diameter. It had a red dome and the whole struc-ture was 45ft high. The others were slightly smaller.

Tension grew throughout the hot afternoon. Men sprayed the crowd with water. More pilgrims pressed into town, foreheads daubed with paint. Many women bad cut off their hair in offering. They bought coco-nuts, smashed them on the ground, anointed themselves round, anointed themselves Musicians played cymbals, dressed, fed and put to lyith the milk and prayed. Holy drums and horns. Scores of his devoted attendants.



Setting for an astonishing spectacle.

men jigged incessantly to the bear of drums.
One of the main reasons for the of the main reasons for the enthusiasm of the pilgrims is that this is a festival where caste is no bar. Before Jugger-naut all are equal, and high castes even eat food prepared by low castes.

At 5 pm long thick ropes were fixed to the charlots. By tradition 4,200 men pull each monstrous wagon, but there seemed to be more than that struggling and shoving for the honour of dragging each one.

At last, the chariots of the gods began to move. The din was terrific. Wheels shrieked in torment, platforms shuddered and creaked, the contraptions groaned like primeval monsters awakened. The ground trembled

In the past people have been crushed beneath the wheels, and a few fanatics bave chosen to die in this fashion.

men and youths jumped up and down shouting to the crowd and urging on the sweating hauliers. The surging onlookers tossed rice and coconut pieces at the chariots. They scooped up the brown dust in the chariots wake and rubbed it on their

It takes more than a day for Juggernaut and his siblings to travel the mile from his temple to the summer house, and yesterday the tugging was resumed. As far as anyone knows the journey, which com nemorates one made by Vishau has been made for a thousand years or more.

naut returns to the temple. The chariots, from which we get the which make English village tremble, are broken up and made into relics whose sale add to the income of a very wealth

Juggernaut returns

temple.

# Turkish refugees sent home in error by Greece

stances under which at the refugees were refused asylum and forcibly returned to Turkey.

The affair was disclosed when

Turkish newspapers hailed the Greek action as an example of how other Western European nations should treat escaping Turkish extremists. "Brabo for the Greeks!" the banner headline in one Istanbul dialy said.
One refugee, Mr Oktal Donez,
had apparently been rescued by
Greek fishermen while swimming the Straits of Symi island off the Turkish coast. Another, Mr Fehmi Ozal, rowed to the island of Kos and applied for

Both were acquitted by a Rhodes court of charges of illegal entry, but the local security authorities surrendered them to passing Turkish ships for rearrition

for repatriation.
Mr Constantine Mitsotakis, the Greek Foreign Minister, who himself fled to Turkey while Greece was under a military dictagraphic in the midrary dictadrship in the mid-sixties, expressed profound regrets over this "accident", which, he said, had occurred without the Government's

The minister said: "The

The Greek Government has been acutely embarrassed by lucal officials on the island of Rhodes, who have sent at least three Turkish political refugees back home.

Major-General Athanasios Papadimitriou, the deputy chief of the gendarmerie, was in the island today on government orders to investigate the circumtart orders to investigate the circumtart orders under which at the same fate on Thursday, Mryahia Kahraman, editor of a

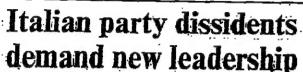
But a third lurk surfered the same fate on Thursday. Mr Yahia Kahraman, editor of a Turkish left-wing trade union journal who used an inflated tyre tube to swim to Kos, was also summarily surrendered to the Turkish Government.

Press reports of a fourth case, again involving the security authorities in Rhodes, could not be verified. It appears that under the Greek junta's instructions only Turks of Kurdish or Armenian origin of Kurdish or Armenian origin should be given sanctuary. The Turkish military regime

is extremely sensitive about the political refuge given to Turkish terrorists by western European countries. They regard this as a direct threat to their efforts to restore public contact to the contact the contact threat to the contact the contact threat to the contact threat to the contact threat to the contact threat to the contact threat t

their efforts to restore public order at home and stamp out political violence.

The Rhdes incidents aroused strong feelings in Greece, and the editorial outcry in Greek newspapers of all shades of opinion was unanimous today. The Greeks are outraged, not only because what happened was in violation of international rules on political refugees, but also because it ran counter to also because it ren counter to



From John Earle, Rome, July 5

A group of 40 Christian Democratic MPs have demanded the resignation of the party leaders and the convocation of an extraordinary congress to re-found the party of a new

Among the rebels, who issued declaration at the weekend, are Senator Beniamino Andreatta, the Treasury Minister, Signora Maria Eletta Martini, Deputy Speaker of the Chamber of Deputies, and Signor Piero Bassetti, former regional prime minister of Lombardy.

The group, whose supporters come from different factions in the party, said there was in Italy a widespread need for change, to "overcome the gap between a country still rich in vitality and a political world ever more immobile and incap-able of incisive decisions."

The Christian Democratic The Christian Democratic image had been tarnished by factors such as "infiltrations of Maria-type lodges" (a reference to the involvement of party members in the P2 affair), the refusla of the party's allies to accept its natural role of Jeadership (the Prime Minister, for the first time in 35 years, is not a Christian Democrat) and by a Christian Democrat) and by disappointing results in recent - local elections.

"We believe it is time for truth and courage," the state-ment went on. At the next meeting of the party's national

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**MAOISTS IN** 

THE ARMY

Some Maoist elements in the

armed forces are unhappy about the political and economic reforms being carried out by Mr Deng Xiaoping, the party

vice-chairman, General Yang emphasized

that the party's leadership over the three wings of the People's Liberation Army—the Army, Navy and Air Force—was of the

responsibilities in the directive organs should offer their re-signations. The council should then convene "a great national assembly, which will break with the past, mark the beginning of a new phase for the party and fix regulations for the emergence of a new class of

Signor Mario Segni, a young Sardinian deputy who is one of the signatories, said it was a question not just of changing some people at the top, but of changing the whole system inside the party.

Signor Flaminio Piccoli, the party secretary has faced "in-

party secretary, has faced "in-creasing" ferment in recent weeks. Some felt there were too many old names and not enough new blood among the candidates for the new govern-

Others thought the response to the P 2affair was inadequate, in accepting from those susclaration on their honour that they were not involved and only making investigations about those unable to make one. The ferment has now come to a

Daughter arrested: Signorina Maria Grazia Gelli, aged 25, the daughter of Signor Licio Gelli, the fugitive grand master of the P2 lodge, has been arrested at a Rome airport Police alleged the process of the process of the process of the process of the police alleged the process of the process of the process of the police alleged the process of the p ment went on. At the next port. Police elleged she was meeting of the party's national trying to smuggle out docucouncil, expected at the end of ments which could prove this month, "the friends with

### Lefever in come-back

From Our Own Correspondent Washington, July 5 Mr Ernest Lefever is clearly Peking, July 5.—General Yang Dezhi, the Chinese Chief of Staff, has called on China's not a man to be discouraged by adverse public opinion or congressional opposition.

Just a month after withdrawing his name as President Reagan's nominee to the State armed forces to uphold the leadership of the Communist Party and follow its orders. His

remarks apparently were aimed at diebard Maoists in the Department's top human rights after he was rejected by a Senate committee, he has come back as a special consultant to Mr Alexander Haig, the Secretary of State General Yang, who is visit-ing Western Europe, made the call in an article to commemorate the sixtieth anniversary of the party's birth published in the People's Daily today. tary of State.

The new pob is not as impor-

tant as the one he was origin-ally offered, and carries a salary of only about \$44,000 (£22,000) a year. He will advise Mr Haig on terrorism, counter-terrorism and nuclear non-proliferation He will also assist the Secrehie will also assist the Secre-tary of State on other matters relating to foreign affairs, a job description which neither men-tions nor rules ou the possi-bility of his acting as an adviser on human rights policy.

Mr Lefever had been criti-cized because of his greater tolerance for human rights abuses in countries allied to the United States.

urmost importance
Sections of the People's
Liberation Army were strongly
influenced by radical Maoist
idealogy during the Cultural Revolution Reuter. Leading article, page 13 | United States.

Party theorist of 73 leads Vietnam



### Guerrillas killed in Iran clash

Tehran, July 5-Islamic revolutionary guards clashed with supporters of a leftist Muslim guerrilla group hiding in a central Tehran apartment early today, and the state radio reported three dead.

The radio said the apartment had been a hide-our of the Mujahiden e Kalq (People's Crusaders) group and that the three dead were supporters of the group. Two of them were thought to have been killed by own hand grenades, it added.

Another 15 executions took place throughour Iran in recent days, including seven supporters the anti-government Mujahidin).

The others were six drug traf-fikers, a woman charged with adultery and a man condicted of taking part in an illegal demonstration in Mashhad, eastern Iran, and of carrying knives and chains to confront people.

The state radio said another

Mujahidin supporter had been shot by revolutionary guards near the Caspian coast yesterday after failing to beed a stop warning.

More than 100 people, mostly leftists but including drug dealers and others, have gone before firing squads in Iran in the past two weeks as part of a drive against under-The Majks (Parliament) to-

day approved a new Iranian Foreign Minister to fill a racancy which has existed since the formation of the present government 11 months ago.

He is Mr Husain Mousavi Khamenel at present publisher and editor in thief of the and corror-in-timer of the Islamic Republic newspaper. He had long been proposed by Mr. Muhammad Ali Rajai, the Prime Minister, but his appointment, and that of other proposed candidates, had been blocked by former President

Mr Mousavi, aged 40 and a trained architect, is a member of the Islamic Republican Party and sat on the all-powerful Revolutionary Coun-cil which ran the Islamic Republic for about one year after the revolution.

The Islamic Republic today quoted a public prosecutor's office as warning taxi, drivers they would be prosecuted if caught spreading rumours. Tehran's bright orange taxis, which act more like minibuses: by carrying up to five or six passengers, are traditional hot-beds of gossip.

Ayatolish Khomeini called on ordinary citizens last week to watch and listen in public places and report any suspicious conversations or actions to the authorities.—Reuter. Ankara: Kurdish guerrillas

Ankara: Kurdish guerrillas have emerged as au unlikely ally of Mr Bani-Sadr and pose a serious, armed threat to Ayatollah Khomeini's regime.

The Kurds, who are the most heavily armed and best trained groups fighting the Islamic republic, are seeking autonomy. They are reported to be sheltering Mr Bani-Sadr in the mountainous west of Iran, where sovereignty changes between the insurgents and revolutionary guards amid continued fighting.—UPI.

# French broadcasting study leader named

The development of new tech-

niques of communication had begun badly in France because they were limited to industrial needs. The emphasis now bad to

switch to the needs of the individual.

The project to put the tele

phone directory into an elec-tronic service available on a

small they sion screen in every home was, he said, of purely industrial and financial inspira-

As the heirs of Rousseau they should be thinking of using such a system to pipe an electronic encyclopedia into every

Journalists on TF1, the main

Ms Pierre Moinet, a counsel- journalists, to such a point that some of them, those most on view became the symbols of a system of power now rejected by the majority of the French lor at the State Audit Department, has been chosen to lead the working party which is to study the future of broadcasting In M Fillioud's view journs lists now had to assume a much greater responsibility in the treatment of news. in France.

The working party was formed on the nominations of the Ministries of Communication and of Culture and is due to complete its report in August.

M Moinet who is 60, is wellknown for his independent viewpoint. The 12 members of the working party include, among a number of television personali-ties. Mme Christine Gouze-Renal, a film producer who is the sister of Mme Danielle Mitterrand, the president's wife.

In an article in Le Monde-yesterday M Georges Fillioud Minister of Communication, said that for many years France had been provided with a "brutal," one-way " news service.

It was both narrow and retro-trade and "dispensed by a num-per of state networks tightly controlled by the authorities under cover of a monopoly and by the voice of a few "stars" whose status approached more and more that of question masters and less and less that of

IN BRIEF

### Keagan aide out of hospital

Washington. — Mr James Brady, the White House Press Secretary who was severely wounded during the assassination attempt on President Reagan last March, left hospital for the first time since the shooting to appear at an Independence Day party at the White House (Nicholas Ashford writes).

writes).

Mr Brady, who underwent times after being shot in the head, was described as "looking terrific", but he appeared to be partly paralysed.

### Racist Australians

Sydney.—White racism is thriving and being strengthened in parts of Australia, Professor Anwar Barkat, director of the World Council of Churches programme to combat racism, and The evidence programme to combat racism. said. The evidence was in the states of Western Australia and Queensland and the Northern Territory where he had exam-ined how the Aborigines were being treated.

### Tortoise freed

Nairobi—A tortoise suspect dof causing the deaths of six people in Kyuasini village, in the Machakos district of Kenya's Eastern Province, was sentenced to death but then chained to a tree when no one could be found to execute it. The district officer persuaded them to free it on the promise of an official inquiry into the deaths.

### Western delight

Peking.—Western food is to be made available for Chinese customers at Peking's Inter-national Club, which usually only serves foreigners. The club said it had decided to "respond to the desires of the masses" by organizing banquets for Chinese who asked for this

### Vatican ignored

Peking.—China's independent
Catholic Church has elected
bishops to head the vacant
dioceses of Nanking and
Suzhou. Since 1957 the Chinese
church has consecrated its own
higher and oriests without bishops and priests without reference to the Varican.

### Prison boom

Johannesburg -- South Africa has one of the world's highest percentage prison populations, according to figures compiled by the Crime Prevention Institute. The Star newspaper said 440 out of every 10,000 inhabi-tants were in prison in South

# 4-star garbage

Los Angeles.—A Californish filling station has begun selling fuel fermented from organic matter. The fuel, methanol, is alcohol-based and made from leaves, grain or rubbish.

### 60,000 join NZ rugby tour protest

Wellington, July 5.—A crowd 60,000 demonstrators marched through New Zealand cities and towns yesterday in what they describe as a last attempt to prevent a South African rugby tour of the

Although the protests were peaceful in most centres, there were some ugly incidents between groups for and against the tour. Police put at 30,000 the number of protesters in Auckland while in Wellington about 17,000 turned out.

The South Island centres saw a much smaller turnout with Christchurch having only 4,000. In Dunedin where there were 2,500 demonstrators a pro-tour supporter was arrested after he drove his car into the marching column. Nobody was hurt.

In the tiny settlement of Eltham in Taranaki about 20 people were met by a barrage of eggs, flour-bombs and abuse from crowds

Organizers in main centres Journalists on TF1, the main French television channel, have voted to set up a working party to study the organisation of their department. They question the bierachical way in which the staff, is organized and are seeking to establish a different method of control. said that the next phase of protest would be passive disobedience. Mr Ces Riazey, the New Zealand Rugby Union chairman, said this made no difference to the decision to invite the Springboks to New Zealand.—Agena France-Fresse.

Islamic justice

## Man sentenced to die under new sex laws

From Hassan Akhtar, Islamabad, July 5

A man was sentenced to death today in Rawalpindi for committing an unnatural sexual offence on a boy. This is believed to be the first capi-tal sentence to be passed on a charge of rape or sodomy and was imposed under Pakistan's newly enacted Islamic laws.

Two other people were sentenced to life imprisonment for criminally assaulting the boy early last year. The accused were also ordered to pay fines of 5,000 rupees (£260) each.

The centences are subject to The sentences are subject to endorsement by the Federal Shariat court, an Islamic court

of appeal.

In another case the Federal Shariar court upheld a sentence of 14 years jail with hard labour passed in Mianwali on a man who criminally assaulted

man who criminally assaulted a young girl.

General Zia's martial law regime which wants to enforce the Islamic judicial system, has been sending cases involving sexual and social offences such as drinking for trial in Islamic courts where the punishment for such offences is expeditiously decided and is harsher than under the normal penal code.

General Zia's fifth year of military rule began today, the second day of Ramadan, the Islamic month of fasting, with vigilance squads patrolling main markets and shopping

areas to ensure that the martial law order prohibiting eating and smoking in public places or restaurants during the fast hours from dawn to dusk was

hours from dawn to dusk was fully observed.

Apparently the law, which provides for punishment of up to six months jail was widely obeyed and only two people were reported to have been arrested in the capital for smoking or drinking water in public.

There have been no public

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There have been no public celebrations to mark the fourth anniversary of General Zia's rule
Sheikh Rashid, acting chairman of the Pakistan People's Party of Mr Zulfikar Ali Bhutto, the executed Prime Minister, issued a statement accusing the martial law regime of breaking its promise to bold general elections and of oppressing the Opposition, particularly People's Party workers. Banks all over the country

were closed yesterday to make deductions for the compulsory payment of Zakat, for an Islamic charity, on all savings accounts with a minimum credit balance of 2,000 rupees. This was the second annual deduction made by the regime. Zakat is deducted during the month of Ramadan and distributed among destitute people and needy students.

### Pledge on Uganda Army Mr Muwanga blamed what he called bad elements in the

Kampala, July 5.—Military officials in Uganda, embar-rassed by international condem-nation of last month's attack by government troops on a mission in West Nile Province, which left dead 60 refugees sheltering there, have promised to remove unsuitable soldiers from the army.

Mr Paulo Muwanga, the Vice-President and Defence Minister, speaking during a television interview, stopped short of directly censuring the

He said he was unhappy with "the false report filed on security in Uganda by the staff of relief agencies operating in the country".

KHARTUM TRIAL

Khartum.-A number of Chadian nationals arrested after a grenade attack at the Chadian Embassy here are to face trial for premeditated murder, subversion and breaching public order, the newspaper Al Sahafa said, Two Chadians were killed and two wounded in the June 25 blast. had been treated at the mission hospital, said the mission

attack on the mission.

Army on improper recruitment by the two post-Amin govern-

This is not likely to satisfy international relief agencies, which left West Nile after the

Relief workers, while admit-

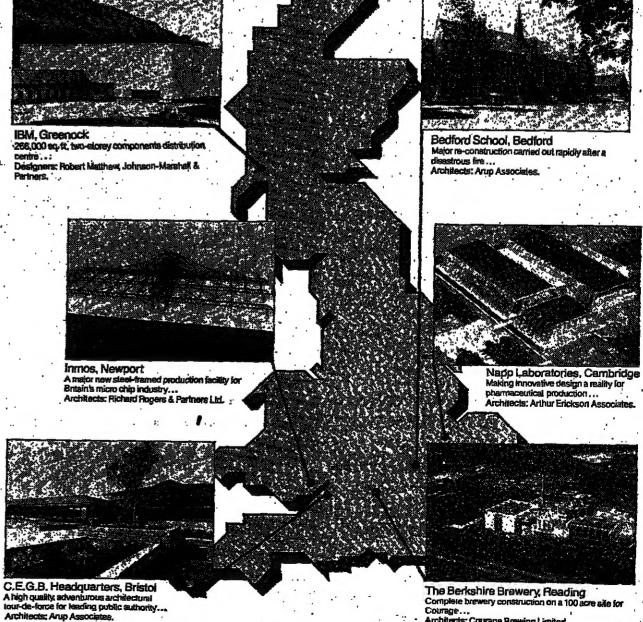
ting that former Amin soldiers

should not have been attacked, as it was under Red Cross pro-tection. The Uganda Govern-ment has said relief workers at the mission treated rebels and supplied them with food.— Agence France-Presse. SHIP BLOWN UP

Toulon, July 5.—French Navy frogmen today blew up the abandoned 22,500-ton Greek-registered tanker Cavo Cambanos and its cargo of 19,000 tons of highly inflammable naphtha.

The tanker caught fire on April 4 off the Spanish port of Tarragona and the crew abandoned ship.

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# From David Watts, Singapore, July 5 Vietnam has inaugurated the most profound changes in its government structure since the founding of North Vietnam 36 China has recently been under-

At meetings over the week-end the National Assembly voted to name Mr Truong Chinh as chairman of the new Council of State, provided for under Vietnam's recently-adopted constitution. The State Council is a collective leadership for the country and replaces the figure-

head presidency previously adopted. Mr Chinh, aged 73, is a Com-munist Party veteran of longparty's leading theoretician, though out of favour at one point in the 1950s. He has recently been chairman of the National Assembly.

The new Council of State is the product of the realization since the end of the Vietnam war in 1975, that with the old party and account of the council of State are a four vice-presidents, Mr Nguyen.

since the end of the Vietnam four vice-presidents, Mr Nguyen-war in 1975, that with the old Huu Tho, who was also made party and government structure chairman of the National

going.
The Vietnamese now make great play of the need to spread power throughout the leadership and the elections over the week-end are a reflection of that

me a reflection of that requirement.

Mr Pham Van Dong, the Prime Minister, has become chairman of the Council of Ministers. It is not clear from the announcements whether he retains the Prime Minister's job. Earlier this year Vietnamese officials were saying that Mr Dong would be replaced in that next he as a now set man. Though

Assembly, Mr Le Thanh Nghi, Mr Chu Huy Man and Mr Xuan Thuy, who serves as Secretary-General of the State Council, which has wide powers in domestic and foreign affairs.

Mr Tho has been acting President of Vietnam since the death of President Tun Duc death of President Ton Duc Thang in March last year.

Thang in March last year.

The other vice-presidents have come from senior government and Communist Party posts of varying responsibility. For example, Mr Xuan Thuy has been chief of party external relations. Some Westerners had specu-

lated that Mr Le Duan, Secretary-General of the Communist Party, might also be Chairman of the Council of State. Whether or not he sought such a powerful combination of posts will probably never be known but the greater need for an overall balance in party and government power appears to have prevailed.



The last shout : McEnroe greets the dawn of a new tomorrow

John McEnroe, the new Wimble-don men's singles champion, is fable to be fined as much as \$14,750 (more than £7,000) for his conduct during the championships. He has the right of appeal but should his fines exceed \$6,000 he will be suspended for 21 days. All-this will be discussed by the Men's-International Professional Tennis. Council when they meet in Sept-ember during the United States

McEnroe's failure to attend the Mr Enroe's failure to attend the Caropicus' dinner at the Savoy Hotel on Saturday evening causes, embarrassment, but may have avoided even more. The women's singles champion, thris Lloyd, who has a droll sense of humour, way mangated by me fact that he won the championship: That demonstrated his exceptional talent and fighting spirit but could not earn him the equivalent of diplomatic immunity. It would also be mealy-monthed to pretend that his status as Wimbledon champion can be provided and the country of the young. In terms of court con-duct, McEnroe, short of a sudden memorphosis that everyone would welcome, must be con-sidered a bad model. This is unusual. His outbursts of penulant

their adversities on to court offi-cials or, for that matter, anyone within range.

It must be difficult for people accustomed to the occasionally abrasive excesses of the New York character. to adjust to Wimhle-don's basic gentility and maintain that adjustment under emotional stress. That may be an explanation but it is no excuse. Let us note too, that McEnroe's accumulation of fines arises not from question-

There seems to be a general opinion among the players that court officials at Wimbledon are less efficient than those at the French championships, whose job is easier vecause of the clay-court mirace, and less flexible than pionships. This opinion is less con-vincing now than it has ever been —and begins to smack of an ingrained prejudice inherited from The cardre of court officials at The carers of court outsides a Wimbledon this year were younger, more affable, and more consistently correct in their instant decision daling, than any

conrequest, but to ignore it would be dissembling. To move on to the teams, which used to be all that mattered to most of us at of 126,135 by becoming the first-player since John Newcombe, in 1970, to win both the men's singles and doubles championships. New-combe, incidentally, wan 13,500.

pionships for the first time since 1953. Pamela Shriver won the women's doubles with Miss Navratilova and thus became a Wimbledon champion on her 19th birthday. Only Betty Stove and Frew Mckillan, presented the Americans from completing a clean sweep on independence Day. Every title changed hands,

Roll of champions Men's singles J P McEuroe; (US), £21,600

Women's singles Mrs C Lloyd (US), £19,440. Men's doubles D McMillan (SA) and Miss B I five events the finals were mose predicted by the seedings; and even in the men's doubles the top seeds beat the third seeds. This was a good Wimbledon but, like the weather, fell short of splen-dour. Call it a silver rather than

Mcknroe, the dominance of Americans and the record attandamic of more than 353,000. Wimbledon could easily raise that figure but, thank goodness, they try to avoid a degree of congestion that would make the place thoroughly unpleasant. McEnroe beat Borg. 4—6, 7—6, 7—6, 6—4 in three bours and 22 minutes. The match lacked the conminutes, the match lacked the con-trasting methods of Jimmy Con-nors's five-set win over Vijay American or the exciting drama of Borg's five-set win over Connors.

Ver the final's combined content of contrast and drama was memorable. Micharoe won for three reasons. One, he served well on the important points. Two, he was rwife lucky fit breaking back for 3-4 in the thing set. Three, the second half of the match suggested that the wounds Connors had inflicted on Borg's mind and body had not yet headed. But the match was so close that each man achieved the same number of breaks, two, from the same number of breaks, two, from the same number of breaks are not arget with a combined total of mine out of 10 first services in the two tie-break games, played the serve-and-volley game beautifully to save four set points at 4—5 in the third set, and again personaled his first service to answer the call to duty when Yet the final's combined content

again persuaded his first service to answer the call to duty when he had two breakpoints against him in the third game of the fourth set. As for the luck in the third set, Borg led 4—1 but McEnroe broke back with the help of a shor that hit the net cord and died an instant deeth and another.



Borg's amicipation was such that he seemed to attract the ball to his presence. Times when his speed and defit racket control even when at his stretch, challenged belief. Times when his passing shots, especially on the forehand, seemed invalible. For a, set and a hair McEntoe, when at the net, had all kinds of problems trying to guess what Borg's next move would be, particularly when Borg was using that delayed and disguised two-handed backhand.

backhand. could not seize his chances on second service. Nor, could be put his solleys. Then he began to punch olleys instead of mudging.

Anyone for tennis? Borg goes quietly into all his yesterdays Final day results

and his game in Sweden this week and his game in Sweden this week and he insisted that the past is the past and he is now thinking only of the future and especially about the open at Sandwich where he will arrive on Friday or Sanday of this week to begin practice. of this week to begin practice or this week to begin practice.

Ballesteros is now considering the
possibilities of joining the United

States tour and one sensed that

be might be prepared to Start a

new conversation with European

officials and think in terms of playing in the Ryder Cup.

The victory

smile on

the face of

**Ballesteros** 

Severiano Ballesteros put together a 66, five under par, to win the £50,000 Scandinavian

Trading, here today. Ballesteros without a win since the Durch Open in July of last year, finished

Open in July of last year, finished with an aggregate of 273, if under par and he won by five strokes from his Spanish compatriot Antonio Gervido, who established a course record with a 65. Nick Faldo moved to the import the European official money list by finishing third after a 70 and Manuel Pinero (72) completed a memorable afternance.

and Manuel Finero (12) tompleted a memorable afternoon for Spain by taking fourth place. Ballesteros set off in the final round with a three stroke advan-tage and it is conceivable that his

single putts on each of the first four greens, the first three all being for pars, and it set the

pattern for a remarkable round in which he used his putter on only 23 occasions. He could not re-

he had putted since 1976, which was the year he first appeared in the world spotlight when he came joint second to Johany Miller in

There was never any doubt that Ballesteros would win the £2,330 first prize. As Pinero faltered and

ne noted from 30 feet for a birdle three at the ninth. At that point he took off his sun visor, spun it through the air and, with the expertise of a Pele, kicked it so that he could catch it and replaced it on his head. In that moment, without the sun visor to shield his expression, he allowed the broadest, smile to break across his face since

smile to break across his face since he won the US Masters at August

member a better putting a

From Mitchell Plans

Linkoping, July 5

Garrido, who had seven birdie in his superb 65; has given himsel a chance to play in the Ryder Cu by winning a cheque for 15,550. If he succeeds and Ballesteros were to return to the fold, four Span-iards could be in the team since Pinero, though coming fourth here and Jose Maria Canizares appea certain to play at Walton Read

### Rogers moves into Western lead with a 66

Chicago, July 5.—Bill Rogers moved past the leaders with a 66, moved past the leaders with a 66, six under par, to take a two-stroke lead into the final round of the \$30,000 Western open golf tournament. He has an eight under par toal of 208, two better than Ed Figri, who scored a 69.

The second round leader, Greg Powers, lost six strokes to par on the outward nine holes but pulled his round together to finish with a 75, which put him at 211. LEADING SCORES: 208: W Rosers, 69, 73, 66, 210: E Flom, 7a, 67, 69, 211; J Coibern, 71 70, 70; G Powers, 69, 57, 75; D Poucley, 68, 70, 73; J Simons, 69, 71, 71, 213; L Nickons, 72, 73, 67; C Sirange, 78, 70, 69; T Kine, 72, 68, Fritish total: 220; P Oosierhujs, 73, 74, 73, —Rauter.

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WOKING: Alba Trophy (open amater tournament); 146; R Dark (Hothlett: 12, 12, 18; E M. Nicholston (Woking), 72, 76, 142; R Les Royal Mid-Surrey; 77, 73.
DONION (Duebre); Women's fournament; 205; P Bradley, 57, 65, 70; J Siephenson; (Australian, 67, 66, 70, 70; J Collec, 88, 72, 62; P Haver, 71, 71, 72, 73; J Carper, 70, 71, 70; S Haver, 70, 71, 71; C, Reynolds, 70, 71, 71.

Equestrianism

### Prince Philip to lead British team in Europe.

By Pamela Macgregor-Morris
Prince Philip, Duke of Edinburzh, driving Her Majesty the
Queen's Cleveland bays, which
normally do duty on the strees of
London, will lead the Erinsh team
for the European driving championships at Zug, Switzerland,
from August 20-23, Supporting
him will be George Bowman, with
his, Cumbrian cobs., and Peter
Munt, with Mr R. Colan's teamThe two individuals who are going The two individuals who are coin as first and second reserves are Alwin Holder, a member of the world championship winning team at Windsor lest year alongside Prince Philip and George Bow-man, with his Welsh cobs and John Parker with the Norwich Union team. Joe Moore is travely ling as team manager.

Prince Philip is showing tremendous form, having recently won the Norfolk event overall-Bowman, who won the individual silver medal in the world cham-pionship; was second and finished third at Scone Palace and at Holker Hall.

third at Scone Palace and at Holker Hall.

The four-day meeting of the Royal Agricultural Society of England starts today at Stoneleigh, near Kenilworth, when the ridden show of the Hunters', Improvement Society will occupy the main ring throughout the day for the ultimate award of the cup presented by Horse and Hound.

Laser champions

Carnar, France, July 5.—Srend Myralf (Deomark) won the men's European Laser vachning cham-pionship after the seventh and final leg. Ann Fryer (Britain), won the women's title.—Agence France-Presse.



Oxford University and Thames Tradesmen beating the British national eight to win the Grand Challenge Cup at Henley

# Powerful Oxford find a winning formula

Five Oxford University Boat Race coarsman and stree Olympic medal winners from Thames Tradesmen combined yesterday to win Henley's top prize, the Grand Challenge Cup. In a gruelling race, they best the British national eight. Leander-Tyrian, by half a length. Despite the presence of Princess Grace, on board the unpire's launch, there was never any love lost between the two crews. The Oxford President. Chris Mahoney, shook his filst at his rivals in fury at the finish. his rivals in fury at the fluish, . The race, was rowed in the stiffest wind: of the day, blowing straight down the course against the crews. The national squad went out very fast, but Oxford stuck hard to their task and were never more than three-quarters of a length behind. After the Barrier, Oxford went into overdrive and they pulled level just before the Mile, as the national squad began to tree and their shell began to

veer. Oxford pushed again and were three feet up, as they flashed past the Mile. The national squad tried valiantly to recover, but Oxford crossed the line half, a length up for a famous victory in what was undeniably one of the

greatest Grand races ever scen at aga Honley.

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Wyfold Cup

**Oueen Mother Cup** 

Ladies' Plate Semi-final round

tily of Washington (US) beat Thames Cup

For the record

and Soviet Union fleets, before meeting Oxford-Thames Tradesmen spain in the national championship gold medal in 1974 and earlier this year it was used oxford-Thames Tradesmen a hard race in Saturday's semi-final round will be in Eccen that week.

This year's Healey demonstrated what a wealth of rowing talent there is in the Bridish Isles at present. On Friday our Grand crews sank without trace the United States Eastern fleet—Cornell, Yale and Boston—and on Saturday they scuttled Washington University from the Western seaboard. It would be a pity if a formidable eight could not be produced from our three Grand crews to represent Great Britain in the world championships, though time is rapidly running out for such an experiment.

Although it is difficult to single

Although it is difficult to single men out of the Oxford-Thames Tradesmen eight, the international experience of Wiggin and the experience of viggin and the superb technique, in an exceptional head-wind, of Whitwell in the bows were vital factors yesterday. The crew as a team also showed the crucial ability to press the accelerator again and again.

Final
Syrian (Canada) beat Leander, 11, Charles River RA (US) beat London
Thin Edsec.
Thin Edsec. Grand Challenge Cup

> Britannia Cup Final Vests RC best Saxon BC. 15. Smin 1550c. Princess Elizabeth Cup

Final Holy Spirit High School (US: book Emanuel School, 1'J., 7min 35acc. Women's Double Sculls

Stewards' Cup boat Vesper (US), easily. 7min 45sec Prince Philip Cup

Women's Coxed Fours

980 Rowing Club (US) bear Adamse (Canada), easily, 5min 44sec. Skyflash 56 pts; 2. Windsprile 83 pts. 3. Riot 51 pts.

**Tennis** 

River. Thames Tradesmen's former Captain bought the boat at Henley last year, when the Americans wanted to chop it up for souvenitrs.

In the Thames Cup, the London lightweight eight gave an exceptionally courageous display, the superb west German crew, ceptionally courageous display, won't the inaugural Queen Mother, Challenge Cup for quadruple sculls and were arguably the best crew, at Henley in terms of skill and the final against the Charles River Association, the tinder-23 American crew who are being grouned for the 1986 Olympic Games in Los Angeles. A four-stone disadvantage was too much for the London lightweights, who went down fighting by two and a third lengths to win the against a crew worthy of a place in the Grand and certainly the best applicable for the Grand and certainly the best and the Wyfold Cup was won by Haulan Boas Club, of Canada, who beat a plucky Leauder four by one length.

The superb West German crew. On the superb West German crew. In the superb West German crew. In the superb West German Crew. On the superb West Capballant Cup West Capballa ceptionally courageous display, They beat Vesta yesterday morning in the semi-final round despite giving away three stone a man, though they stood little chance in the final against the Charles River Association, the final against the Charles River Association, the final against the Charles River Can crew who are being ground for the 1984 Olympic Games in Los Angeles. A four-stone disadvantage was too much for the London lightweights, who went down fighting by two and a third lengths against a crew worthy of a place in the Grand and certainly the best American eight at Henley this year.

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In the women's inaugural invita-tion events the British crews dis-appointed and went out in the first round. The Canadians and Ameri-cans contested the two titles— coxed fours and double sculis— and shared one each. While these final races, too, were disappoint-ing, with easy verdicts recorded, the excellent rechnique demonstra-ted has surely done much for women's rowing.

Silver Goblets .

Race for Schools

trophies stay at home. The British won the Opamond Sculls, the Ste

Vesta took the Britannia Cup by beating Saxon, from Kingston, with the stern four of their Thames Cup eight, who went out in yesterday's semi-final round to the British lightweight eight; London University triumphed in the Visitors' Cup and the Race for Schools was won deservedly by Shrewsbury. It was a cold and sometimes wet Henley, but that did not deter record crowds yespenday.

# The weekend's results from Henley Royal Regatta

WOMEN'S DOUBLE SCULLS: Semi-final round: J'Geer and C Ger (Darg-mouth RC. US, best S Ceta and N Hollsman (KRZV Her Spatare and KUR the Hange, Netherlands), 3'41, 5min Alsee: L Ro: and J Wason (Adame, Canada; best S C McNoff and A R Aling (Kingston), 2'42, 5min 35sec; COXED FOURE; Semi-WOMEN 1940 Rowing Club (Use) best Trames and Upper Thames RC, castly, Smin 35sec; Monay (Canada), best Taloway Scullers and Weybridge, easily, Smin 45sec;

Table tennis

Clay pigeon shooting

Chief gains by three Frenchmen but then Renault's team manager, Cyrille Guimard, decided that it would be profitable to! Hinank if his two men in the breakaway. Rodriguez and Becaas, also contributed to its success. This added impetus at the front and allowed. Hinank to enjoy a? peaceful time in attacks, leaving the hard work of chasing to the teams not represented in the breakaway.

The constant forcing, of the Peageot and Renault men in the breakaway group allowed them to maintain their substantial lead, but the three individuals with them were having an easiet ride and looked likely to be fresher on reaching the four miles finishing circuit at Le Mans.

Despite these predictions, it was Rodriguez who was the first rider to break for home. Martens, who has been trying to win a Tour, de France stage for four years, immediately took up the classe and joined the Frenchman one knowners from the finish.

In turn, Clere, a first-year professional, jumped away from the other four, but although be Your Bertin, of France, and Edgene Urbany, of Loxembourg. After such a rapid and closely fought stage, followed today by the longest stage of 161 miles, the

Rene' Martens, aged 26, from Belgium, won the 10th stage of the Tour de France, 121 miles from Nantes to Le Mans, yesterday, but the chief gains of the day were earned by three Frenchmen, Gilbert Duclos-Lassalle, Jean-Frencois Rodriguez and Regis Clere, who all move into the first 10 on overall times.

These four men, along with two other Frenchmen, Patrick Perret and Bernard Becaus, and Theo de Roby, of the Netherlands, finished. two-and-a-half minutes clear of the main-group. They broke clear some 40 miles from the finish, immediately after the Freuch-champion, Serge Beucherie, had outsprinted Duclos-Lassalle in the day's third "rush" classification

t Sable-sur-Sarthe. The pace was lively throughout who quickly established a tead of more than two minutes. Working the hardest were Perret and Duclos-Lassaile, both colleagues of second placels Philip Anderson in the Peugeot-Esso team,

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cycling tartics, it was clearly long term benefit to Peugeot i Anderson to allow a cider of Duclos Lassalle's calibre to im-prove his 6min 27sec deficit on the race leader, Bernard Binault. Tactics are one thing; but it is another puttisk them into prac-tice when racing at an average speed of nearly 28 mph. The lead

Fencing. How Smirnov revived

Soviet spirit Clermont-Ferrand, July S.—The Olympic champion. Vladimir Smirnov; of the Soviet Union, today narrowly clinched the men's individual foll title at the 39-nation, world fencing championships. Smirnov defeated Romania's Petrn Kuki 11—9 in a hard-fought final to also retain his World Cup title, assessed on performances in important competitions over the season. The bronze medal went to Italy's Angelo Scuri, a 10—7 third-place final winner over Hungary's Gyula Orosce.

The Russian, fishtime from a

The Russian, fighting from a classically upright stance, had to come from behind to clinch the final against his fellow left hander. west Germany's Cornell

West Germany's Cornella Hanisch won the women's individual foll gold medal when she best China's Jujie Luan 3-4 in the final. The brouze medal went to Doring Vaccaroni (Italy), an 6.5 winner over Brighte Gaudin (France). Foll: Repechage accord round: K Kotzman (E Garmany) best N Ben (GB) 10-8.

Trampolining

Furrer holds on

the West German champions who are coached by Paul Luxon, a are coached by Paul Luxon, a former British competitor and 1972 world title witner?

Carl Furrer, of Haclow, who was last year's men's winner, held on to his title, performing one triple and many double twisting somerstults with a difficulty tariff of 11.5 marks, while Sue Shotton won the women's even with her of 11.5 marks, while Sue Shotton won the women's event with her best ever British women's total of \$6.6 marks. Last year's British winner and world cup title holder was Erika Phelps, daughter of the former Olympic diver, Brian Phelps, who withdrew last week because of a back injury. Furrer is the son of Willi Furrer, who travelled the world in a family balancing act, and Sue Shotton is a pupil at Great Salterns School in Fortsmouth.

three Hilshers, there was a fierte sprint for thire place, which was finally taken by Daclos Lassalle. This means that he if now in third place overall, three and a half minutes behind Himshit, while Rodrigues mores up to fourth place.

other four, but although he passed the tiring Rodriguez at the line, he was still 50 metres behind Martens. With time bonuses of 30, 28 and 10 sec for the first

Overseas visitors profit from national event

By John Nicholls

Overseas competitors, although not eligible for titles, were promment in the Windsurfer, national championships at Weymouth at the weekend. In spite of their preschee, however, British helmsmen and women were outrightwinners of four out of the five-competing classes, The reason for the visitors' presence was to give them practice for the European championships which start in the same hocation next weekend.

The outstanding performance in the series, of six races for the men, was achieved by Chris Clements in class D (heavyweight). He scored four first places and a second in his best five races and was an easy winner of his group. Penny Way managed three firsts, out of five races in the women's class, but her total, was spoiled by a 20 in Friday's blustery conditions.

The Caldwell brothers, David of By John Nicholls

and Peter, were separated by a Dutchman, Jorgen Svendsien, in class C, which D. Caldwell won class C, which D. Caldwell won with a very low score. He was also easily first in the freestyle event, ably demonstrating the art of broadsailing to an appreciative audience on the beach.

Class B was won by a Dane, Frank Hippen, so the British dide went to the man in second place. Ben Oakley. Hippen's score was the best possible, zero points, and he will clearly be one of the men to watch in next week's event. The lightweight class went to Nicholas Tillett, with the next two places being filled by overseas boats.

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The Caldwell brothers, David

# Rough welcome to Clyde

On a-grey Firth of Clyde, under the lash of rain and a south-wester blowing force five to six, yachtsmen had a rough welcome vester-day to the delights of Clyde Week, in which four of the amaller classes failed to start. Yachts were reefed until the main was below the crosstress and storm jibs were not uncommon.

The Dragon, Jasmin and the Excalibur sloop, Siolta, split their genous on the starting line. Grouse, the Etchells leader for the second time in a row, had

the second time in a row, had full sail of 216 square feet, and added a spinnaker of 400 for the run from Dunoon Bank to plane at 18 knots. The only other finisher in that class, Playgiri, went round under a 410 only. isher in that class. Playgiri, went round under a jib only:

The IOR yachts were shaking out the reefs to full sail as the breeze venered and eased a bit. The one-tonner Helios was the winner of the 55-mile race round Bute in which the Toledo half-tonner, Club Difun, took the Vanora Trophy for IOR division

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After an exciting day's matchracing in freshening lorce five
south-westerly winds, Tony Smith,
in Smiffy; beat Bob CranmerBrown, in Zephyros, in a final
sail-off, each having won four
races in the finals of the half ton
series held off Hillhead in the
Solent. Third came Mark Wynterin Alchemist; who won three
faces, Smiffy is on early Stephen
Jones design, Zephyros a Rob
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This new series, organized by
the British Level Racing Association and based on a trial last

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BC Cambridge, 51, fmin 3-bac; University of Leander beat Leander School beat Elon
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and D McDrogath (University of London)
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Gymnastics

to world title By a Special Correspondent Britain retained both individual filles at the world championships in Woking, sponsored by Hernesetas, fighting off stern challenges from Ute Scheille and Raif Pelle,

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By a Special Correspondent On a-grey Firth of Clyde, under

America's Cup style in the Solent

formances of varied designs of half tonners were matched two by two in America's Cup-style racing over a short course. Competing skippers found a good opportunity to sharpen up for the open national championships startin gat Lymington the Monday before Cowes week. These form the selection trials for the holy contested British entry to the half ton world chempionships at Poole in September.

Essex and

up the

pressure

Derby keep

Essex maintained their John Player League challenge with a comfortable win by 103 runs over Warwickshire's ilmited attack, lacking Bob Willis, kept a tight rein on the Essex batsmen in the early stages.

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Brian Hardie bloomed briefly before falling leg-before to Perryman for 41, and when Fletcher (2) was caught off Ferreira, Essex were only 85 for these off 20 overs. Phillip (26) and McEwan put on 57 in mine overs before. Font joined the South African, to attack the flagging Warwickshire bowlers for 97 in 11 overs as Essex reached 239 for four. Pont hit a career best score in John Player, league, of 55 not out including six fours and a six and McEwan had eight boundaries in his unbeaten 83.

Dernis Amiss was bowled to Lever's first over and although Lloyd (31) and Humpage (25) onto on 61 in 11 overs Warwickshire then lost their last eight wickets for 74, and were all out for 136 after 31.3 overs. Port completed a fine afternoon with his best league bowling figures of four for 22.

Chesterfield

The vieton the face of Ballesteros

# British Stock raised to new heights | An English collapse today or an

Helsinki, July 5

After arriving here for the men's Europa Cup athletics semi-final with forebodings about finishing in one of the top two qualifying places for the final next month, Eritain finished as vincers to inflict a rare six-point defeat on the Russians. They also heat the Finnish hosts by 18.5 pts, had seven individual winners over two days, wan both relays and enjoyed a host of other satisfying performances.

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fying performences.

While their three Olympic gold medal winners. Steve Overt, Schastlan Coe and Allan Wells all gathered the victories that had been considered formalities, the most pleasing efforts came from those who had wondered whether they would be the ones to cause the predictions of defeat by Finland and the Soviet Union to be fulfilled.

Britain began the day remark-ably well placed and maintained their position despite Finland's recovery from a poor first day. They had achieved an unexpected lift yesterday by finishing as leaders, five points ahead of the Russians. Commonding victories by Wells (100m) and Ovett (1,500m) were eye catching but the team effort was excellent. effort was excellent In all but one of the first day's events British athletes fraished in creats British athletes fialshed in the top three and perhaps the neutstanding contributions were by Roy Mirchell, who won the Jong jume, David Ottley, third in the javelin but aheed of Dainis Kula, the Russian Olympic champion, and the 4 x 100m relay team of Green. We'lls, McFarlane and McMaster who also beat the Russians, including three of the winning four in Moscow.

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After Coe, Wells, Barry Smith
and, most surprisingly of all,
Keith Stock in the pole vault, had
won today, the 4 x 400m team
supplied the final touch of
pleasure by beating the Russians.
For perspective, however, it must
be said that the Russians, who
have a match against the United
States aext weekend, may have
been holding back in some events
but that should not detract from
the British team's performance. the British team's performance.

Of course, the superior victory belonged to Coe, running his first race for a month and looking as fit as ever. He dismissed the challenge with an amazing surge of support acceleration over the challenge with an amazing surge of smooth acceleration over the last quarter of the 800 metres, having contented himself in the earlier part of the race by keeping his only possible rival, the Olympic bronze medal winner, Nikolai Kirov, in tow.

Because of the slow early pace, Kirov and the Flun, Harkonen, were able to stay with Coe until he chose to leave them as if they

By Iain Mackenzie

Britain gained their expected easy win in the women's Europa Cup semi-final at Mesdowbank, Edinburgh yesterday, finishing 28 points ahead of Bulgaria to go through to the final in Zagreb next month.

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Not until well after the meeting was over did Eulgaria know for certain that they will also be competing in Yugoslavia, for their place depended on the outcome of a protest concerning the first two places in the 100 metres. A jury finally decided that the original result should stand, to disappoint The Netherlands, who could yet qualify should they win the "B" final in Italy.

In the courroversial race Bev

In the courroversial race Bev Goddard's time of 11.13sec was the fastest by a British girl in the United Kingdom this season. The two girls who beat her produced the only dead beat of the afternoon although originally Miss Helinae Laiborrine of Finland was

Netherlands in second place on 11.29. Then an amended result was announced with both girls being given 11.29.

nad no right to be on the same track. In the space of 30 metres off the final bend he opened a gap of 10 metres and though his time of 1min 47.57sec was six seconds outside his world record, the style of his success was breathtaking.

Other victories for Britain came in less expected places. In the pole vault, for instance, Stock not only won with a national record of 5.60 metres but beat the Russian Olympic silver medal winner, Konstantin Volkov who failed to clear 5.50 metres. Stock cleared 5.60 metres at his third attempt when running into the wind for the first time that he could remember.

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No one typified the team effort more than Barry Smith in the 5,000 metres at Gateshead had to fend off Martti Vainio, the Finn who had won the 10,000 metres yesterday, and a persistent Russian, Valeri Abramov who led off the final bend but was beaten on the line and by 100th of a second by Smith.

Aston Moore would have joined the ranks of winners had he maintained his lead going into the final round of the riple jump. Ultimately he was relegated to third place by the Olympic chambion, laak Uudmae, of the Soviet Union, and Oili Pousi, of Finland.

Allan Wells who was finally persuaded to run the 200m after his impressive 100m win yesterday, displayed no signs of the after effects of a virus as he dowinated the rare from the blocks. He ran powerfully through the headwind round the turn to win in 20,21 sec. His own dissatisfaction with the effort seemed unjustified and so was the disappointment of Roger Hackney, the steeplechaser, who ran an important and courageous race to keep the Russian, Boris Nesrerjuk, behind him, when Tommy Ethlom, of Finland, 100k a lead he was not to lose with three laps remaining.

Not all of Britain's athletes ended the day with quire such broad smiles. After several promising early, season races, Mark Holtom's progress was curtailed when he pulled a groin muscle as he crossed the line second in the 10m hurdles. But even he had good news later when the damace was diagnosed as less serious than first thought.

Saturday's results 50,23; 3. R Kopiur (Yosealavis)

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28.15.92; 2. J. Goater (GB) 28.17.88; N. Krov (USSR) 28.31.50.

metres relay, 1500 metres, 200 metres, 3,000 metres and 4 x 400 metres relay. The only one of the 15 events where the British failed to finish in the first three was the shot putt. Miss Ritchie tried to add that title to her success with the discus but finished fourth. It was not however, a had effort.

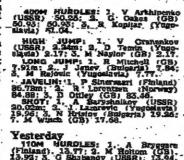
the discus but finished fourth. It was not, however, a bad effort. Originally, Venissa Head was down for the putt but had to drop out. It was a disappointingly one-sided contest for the unusually large crowd. With Britain in the lead from the start and clearly going to win the match, most of the excitement was reserved for the battle for second place. The Dutch held the number two spot for most of the afternoon but allowed the Bulgarians to slip past with three events to go.

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Neither a thrilling 4 x 400 relay
when the Dutch came in behind
the United Kingdom but a foot
in front of Bulgaria, was enough
to help them regain their position
and nor did their protest.



Feeling the bends: Stock jumps to a record high.





# Britain run away with it from the start



given 11.29.
In mixed weather (there was sunshine, rain, a high wind and at times complete calm) only one record was broken. Meg Ritchie's 63.76 metres throw to win the discus is a Scottish native record. Britain won ten of the 15 events, seven on the track and three in the field. They took first place in the discus, long jump and javelin; and in the 400 metres hurdles, 400 metres, 4 x 100

Rugby League Newcomer the driving force in pack

Sydney, July 5.—Australia scored a hollow 43—3 victory over scored a hollow 43—3 victory over a lacklustre French touring team in the first Rugby League international at the Sydney Cricket Ground yesterday. The Australians piled on nine tries to one—a fair reflection of their total supremacy. But the most significant aspect of their triumph was the outstanding performance of a newcomer, Faul McCabe.

McCabe was the driving force in the Australian park and his efforts were rewarded with two fine tries. He shared the try scoring honours with the halfback Mortimer, who opened the scoring in the first minute of play.

Australia led 30—0 at halftime but the Frenchmen opened the Australia led 30—0 at hairbine but the Frenchmen opened the second half with a disputed try by Ratier. Australia's points came from tries by Mordiner (2), McCabe (2), Brentnall, Ribot, Rogers, Boustead and Masterman. Cronin kicked eight goals.—A.P.

O'Brien joins Cardiff Chris O'Brien, the former Oldham Rugby League club winger, has signed for Cardiff on a free transfer. O'Brien joined Oldham nine years ago from junior Rugby Union in the Cardiff area and made more than 100 senior appearance for the club. ances for the club.

Motorcycling

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Yamaha. 54.20.37: 3. R Mamola

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Rugby Union

France fall to a Richards penalty near the end Australia almost paid heavily for a succession of missed kicking chances. McLean kicked one goal out of seven before the job was given to Richards, who missed two penalties before landing the one that mattered.

Australia 17 France 15
Brisbane, July 5.—Australia beat Australia 17

Brisbang, July 5.—Australia beat France, the European five-nations rugby union champions, in a thrilling first international at Ballymore today. The French, badly hir by injuries on their rour, fought to the end and the Australian coach, Bob Templeton, admitted: "I thought we would have got there by a bigger margin."

France went ahead after two minutes when Blanco landed a 55-metre penalty. But Australia bit back to lead 10—9 at the interval with tries by Poidevin and O'Connor, one of which was converted by McLean.

France were penned in their own half for much of the game They kept in touch, with a penalty goal by Gabernet and a proped goal by Vivies but fell further behind five minutes after the interval when Moon went over in the corner. The French snatched a 15—14 lead when Gabernet converted a superb try by Messty. But in the closing minutes the former Wasps full back, Richards, landed a 40-metre-penalty to win the match.

of touching down. Then he pro-duced a magnificent scooped pass to Hipwell, who released O'Connor for the second try, O'Connor was the architect of Australia's third try when he combined with Hawker to leave Moon an unchal-lenged sprint to the line. Mesny said after the match: "We made too many mistakes and we panicked at the second Australian try." FRANCE: Gabernet; Fabre, Masny, Pardo, Blasco; Vivies, Elisaplee, Paparamborde (zaptain), Dintran, Salas, Revaller, Lorieux, Erbani, Car-pentier, Rodriguez,—Agencies.

one that mattered.

There were no complaints about the Australian handling, however; with Loane setting up the first two tries. First, he carved the French defence open with a 30-metre run to seave Poidevin the simple task of touching down. Then he produced a magnificant scorned rest

Yesterday: 200m: Woronin (Poland) 30.35sec. 800m: Woelbeck (WG) Julin 49.47ecc. 5,000m: Westinghay (WG). 15mm S0,55e-c. 3,000m

Shooting

CPO Brice takes target title

By Our Rifle Shooting
Correspondent
The Royal Navy target rifle
championship was won at Bisley
during the weekend by Chief Petry
Officer Eddie Brice, of HMS Collingwood, Portsmouth, after a
close contest in which the first
three were separated by a single
point. Brice scored 229 out of a
possible 275, closely followed by
cPO Alan Wombell, secretary of
the Royal Navy Target Rifle Club,
who is stationed in Portsmouth
but entered this year as a private
competitor. competitor.
In the RAF section of the Com-In the RAF section of the Combined Services weapon meeting, Senior Aircraftswoman Karen Quartermaide, of Kinloss, won the WRAF target rifle championship, and Squadron Leader C. J. Hockley, of Uxbridge, took the lead after the first stage of the RAF target rifle championship.

ROYAL NAVY: Target rifle championship: 1. CPO E Brice (Portsmooth). 229: 2. CPO A Wombell (Portsmooth). 229: 3. CPO A Wombell (Portsmooth). 228: 5. CPO P H Hobson (Portsmooth). 227. Tyro championship: 1.



Football

Four backroom staff sacked in United reshuffle

The arrival of Ron Atkinson as Manchester United's new manager has led to the sacking of four of the club's backroom staff. The ment to go are two conches, Harry Gregg and Jack Crompton, the physiotherapist, Laurie Brown, and the youth team manager, Sid the recommendation of Mr Arich-son, who is away on holiday, Crompton, Brown and Owen heard the news on Saturday from Mr Edwards, but Gregg received the message in Maîta, where he is on holiday, in a telephone call from Mr Edwards. Mr Edwards.

Changes were expected when Mr Atkinson brought in two of his former West Bromwich Albion colleagues, but they were not expected to be so far-reaching. Mr Edwards said yesterday that the decision had been taken." with great rejuctance."

Ele added: "It was obvious our backroom shaft was top-heavy after-

backroom staff was top-heavy after-Ron Attrinson brought in two of his own ment. He told me the four men involved didn't feature in his The recommendation went before the board and after a lengthy discussion we felt we had to support the manager. I informed three of them, but unfortunately Harry Gregg was on holiday. I phoned him because I didn't want him to find out through a third party. men financially. I shall be meeting them to discuss the question of compensation in the near-future."

them to discuss the question of compensation in the near-future. So United have already paid out around £100,000 to settle the contract of their former manager, Dave Sexton, and his assistant, Tommy Cavadach. Last week United also settled on a compromise figure of £75,000 to compensate Albion for the loss of Mr Afkinson.

Swimming'

Australian tangle tomorrow?

By John Woodcock Cricket Correspondent By John Woodcock
Cricket Correspondent
Although they enjoyed a wonderfully successful 35 minutes before hunch at Lord's on Sarurday in the second Test match sponsored by Cornhill. England must still have left the field at close of play wundering how, on good batting pitches; they are going to bow! Australia out twice. In the afternoon and evening England took only another two wickets for 172 runs. The two days left Australia, with four first innings wickets in hand, 58 behind.

It never does to resign oneself to the inevitability of a draw with a possible 12 hours left for play. England are well capable of collapsing today as Australia, should the ball be turning, are of going into a tangle tomorrow. The tempo, though, at which the same is being played makes the draw much the likilest outcome.

Australia, having won the first Test, would see that as taking them one step nearer the Ashes. England need to make the running now, though you might not have thought so from their batting. On Saturday morning when play was due to start a pall bung over the ground, with no wind to blow it away.

Anyone opening his eyes and seeing the covers in place and the forecourt full would have suspected at once that this was Lord's

talking to Irving Rosenwater he might have closed them sgain.

But there was play just after midday and Wood, who made such a good hundred in last year's Centenary Test, was soon banging the ball about as though he might well get another. He and Dyson had added 52 in only 50 minutes when England's hopes suddenly came alive. From 62 for no wicket at 12.55 Australia stumbled to 81 for four at lunch.

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The break for lunch came at the right time for Australia. When play restarted the ball was not moving about as much as it had, and England's bowlers had rather lost their momentum. Bughes, too, played very well and Border gave further proof of his considerable metric.

England's reason for allowing Emburey, who had gone in as Thursday's nightwatchman, to but for 185 minutes while making only 31 was their belief that the pitch would wear. Yet Australia's

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L OF WICKETS: 1-1.32-78, 5-88, 6-114,
119, 9-126, 10-136.

BOWLING: Level: 4 1-14-1: Phillip. 4-0-23-0: R E East 8-0-36-1: Turner: 4-1-10-1: Pringle: 5.3-0-13-2: Pont. 6-0

Leics v Somerset

Parsons, run out Taylor, not out Extras (1-b 4, w 5, n-b 2)

P M Rochards, C Garnham, b

b Hipps

Broutwell, run out

Germer, c and b Parsons

J Marks, b Steele

J S Taylor, b Taylor

R Moseley, not out

E Dredge, not out

Extras (i-b 10, w 5, n-b 1)

Total-/9 whith ...

Derby v Worcester

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shire by 8 wickets.

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### Mendis reinforces Sussex position

By Peter Marson

HOVE: Sussex (4 pts) beat
Gloucestershire by 51 runs.
A splendid innings by Mendia, who made 125 nor out stood at the centre of Sussex's fifth victory in the John Player League here yesterday. Thus Sussex'reinforced their position as leaders, and Mendis, whose immings included three sizes and 10 fours, reestablished himself as the competition's outstanding batsman with an average of 114.
For the first hour the sun shone from a pale blue sky and in this period Sussex, as if to show their appreciation, played some brilliant cricket, Mendis and Gould hitting 119 runs in a histering assault along the course of 17 overs. By that time both batsmen had made half centuries, and Graveney, Gloucestershire's acting captain, understandably showed a degree of concern. Gloucestershire's in some trouble before they walked out, for injuries of one sort and another deprived them of the services of two key players, Procter and Brain.

FALL OF WICKETS: 1-58, 2-108.
5-136, 4-136, 5-146, 6-192.
50-136, 4-136, 5-146, 6-192.
50-136, 8-0-57-1; Gres. 8-0-58-0; Bartlay, 8-0-59-2; Wells. 

Performance of

Rice equals great batsmen Clive Rice, the Nottinghamshire captain, equalled some of the game's outstanding batting feats when he scored 105 not out in his side's total of 143 against Hampshire at Bournemouth on Saturday. Few batsmen have bettered his achievement of providing more than 73 per cent of the total in a complete famings.

The most dominant performance was V S Hazare's 309 in a score of 387 for the Rest against the Hindus, at Bombay, in 1943-44. W. G. Grace once hit 126 out of 159 in a South and North game, at Hull, in 1876 and Sewell of Clousters whith several 63 met out. at Hull, in 1876 and Sewell of Gloucestershire scored 63 not out in a total of 80 against Sussex, at Hove, in 1913.

Rice hit a six, a five and 16 fours in his fifth century of the summer. He scored 72 off Stevenson who finished with four for 86, while Marshall took four for 32. Hampshire made 146 for four in 55 overs.

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Somerser's West Indians, Richards and Garner, overpowered Leicestershire at Grace Road, Garner took seven for 41 as Leicestershire were all out for 116 and Richards hammered 125 not out from 206 for six. not out from 206 for six.

Kidine Baptiste, from Antigua, marked his second championship game for Kent by taking five Lancashire wickers for 37 at Maid-stone. Lancashire were all out for 203, but Allott snapped up two wickets whilst Kent reached 22 in reply. Northamptonshire's medium pace bowler, Griffiths, took four wickets in his first nine balls when Glamorgan stored 71 for six in 24 overs. 24 overs.

Yorkshire were in trouble when jackman took three for 14 at Harrogate. Roope's 63 boosted Surrey's total to 192 and York-

Harrogate. Koope's os poosten Surrey's total to 192 and Yorkshire ended at 71 for five in 43 overs.

Miller rescued Derbyshire with 81 against Wortestershire at Chesterfield, but they were dismissed for 243 and Pridgeon took five for 63. Wortestershire were 19 for no wicket at the end.

The Sussex openers, Mendis and Barclay, put on 117 against Gloncestershire at Hove, but their side ended the day at 286 for eight. Mendis hit 78 and Barclay 41.

Iloyd of Warwickshire hit 94 out of 289 for eight declared against Essex at Edgbaston. Hogg dismissed the Essex openers, Hardle and McEvoy as Essex finished at 28 for two.

Saturday's matches CHESTERFIELD: Derbyshire 248 (G Miller 31: A P Pridgeon 5 for 65): Whethershire 19 for no wit: Whethershire 19 for no wit: 143 (G E B WH): Nothinghamahire 143 (G E B WH): Nothinghamahire 243 (G E B WH): Nothinghamahire 96): Hampshire 186 for 45000 4 for 96): Hampshire 186 for 45000 4 for 96): Hampshire 186 for 45000 (E Bencist 5 for 37); Kunt 22 for 2. LEICESTER: Leicestershire 116 (J Center 7 for 41): Somewere 206 for 6 if V A Richards 125 no out). Northamptown: Northamptomshire 245 (W Lardies 37); Chemorgan 71 for 6 W. Larans 296 for B (G D MOVE: Sugar 296 for B (G D Modds (78). v Glouremosthre.

### BERMINDMAM: Warwichthre 299 for 8 dec (T A Lloyd 94): Select 28 for 2.

#### HARROGATE: Surrey 192 (G R J Roope 63): Yorkshire 71 for 5.

#### BUBLIN (60 overs): Middleser 225 for 6 (J. M Resericy 80): Trained 113 (S P Hunhas 4 for 13). Middleser won by 112 roms.

Today's fixtures DNE: Staffordshire v Cheshire. DUGH: Buckinghamshire v Berk FALMOUTH: Cornwall v Somerset II.

Minor counties STONE: Cheshire 202 for 8 66c; Staffordshire 109 for S.

FALMOUTH: Somerset II 185; Cornwall 33 for L.

ALOUGH: Bucklushamshire 214 for 5 (M E Million 95, J K 5 Edwards 56 not out and 9 for no wit: Barkshire 196 for 2 dec (A Dindar 106 not out. J F Harvey 59 not out. J. F Harvey 59 not out. J. F Harvey 59 not out. J. Go (M Youll 51); Durham, .00 for 1.

Warwicks v Essex AT BIRMINGHAM Essex (4 pis) best Warwickshire by

ESSEX ··· B Re Hardie, 1-bw, b Perryman
M S A McGyor, b Small
K S McGyor, not out
K W 2 Platcher, c Hogg, b
Farrier,
N Phillip, 1-bw, b Humpago
K R Pont, not out
Extras ()-b 11, w 6, n-b 21 J K Laver and D K Pringer out not man.
FALL OF WICKETS: 1—28, 2—78,
5—85, 4—142.
BOWLING: Hogs. 8—1—44—0:
Small: 8—1—68—1: Persyman.
8—0—29—1: Humplegs. 8—0—47—1:
Ferrebra. 8—0—25—1:

Yorkshire v Surrey AT SCARBOROUGH
Survey (4 pts) best Yorkships by

Total (5 whis) 245

G R J Rope, D M Smith, D J
Thomas, tC J Richards, T R Payne
and P I Pocock did not bat.
FALL OF WICKETS: 1—C1, 2—64,
3—180. BOWLING: Ramane, 8 0 49 1; Depuis, 8 2 50 1; Johnson, 8 0 7 0 5 0; Hardiey, 7 1 51 1; Athey, 2 0

James Vorkshires

J E Hampshire b Payne
C W J Athey, b Pocock
J D Love is Richards
K Sharp, 1-b-w b Pocock
S N. Hartley run out
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D J Wild. not out
N A Mallender, not out
Extras I-b 8, W 3, n-b 4) Total 17 whise ... T M Lamb and B J Griffiths did hai.
FALL OF WICKETS: 1-1. 2-51.
3-100. 4-109. 5-152. 6-153.
7-152.
BOWLING: Nam. B-0-31-2:
MOSSEN: 8-0-31-1: Hord 6-039-1: Barsick, 4-0-12-0:
Ontung. 7-1-35-1: Holmes, 6-032-1.
CLAMORGAM

ng, not out (b 6, 1-b 5, w 1) Extras (b 6, 1-b 5, w 1) 12
Total (4 wkts, 37.2 overs) 179
A Moseley, "M A Nash, †E W
ones, E J Lloyd and S R Barwick
id not hat.
FALL OF WYCKETS: 1—46, 2—102,
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FOWLING Survey, 8—0—19—1;
WHINE, 7—2 0—22—0; T M Lamb,
0—21—0; Wild, 4—24—0;
Lallender, 7—0—46—1; Williams, 6—
105—2.
Umples: R S Herman and B Leadcater.

Kent v Lancashire

Extras (B I. 1-8 6, W 3) ... 120 Total (7 wkis, 39 overs) 221 E Baptista, D L Underwood and K B S Jarvis did not bat. FALL OF WICKETS: 1-112. 2-120. F-126. 4-171, 5-196 6... 120. F-126. Heldes, B -0.31-2; Heldes, B -0.31-3; Heldes, B -0.31-3; Stammons, 8-0.46-2; Hughes, 3-0.24-1. wo Reidy, c Baptiste, b Sarvis Abrahams, run Out Simpona, p Jarvis, b Cowdrey Llovd, b-w b Jorvis J. O Shaughnessy, b Shepherd W J Allot not out Boiging, run out Extras (l-b 5, w s, n-b 1)

Chesterfield
Derbyshire's New Zealand opening Test batsman John Wright, hit an unbeaten 87, his best in the League this season, to steer his side to a victory over Worcestershire which maintained their place near the top of the tride.

Derbyshirs were set a target of
161, but scored 163 for two for
a victory by eight wickets with
more than 10 overs to spare. Survidge 50 A Greig, r Homel, b Survidge 71 M Wells, b Wilkins 51 P Pallingon, not out 111 Extras (I-b 13, w 5, n-b 1; 19. Portsmouth Nigel Cowicy's 64 not out helped set up Hampshire's win by eight wickets over Nottinghamshire were restricted to 123 for eight from 35 overs after two stoppages for rain. FALL OF WICKETS: 1-119, 2-178, 3-194, 4-272.

35 overs after two suppages for rain.

Trevor jesty destroyed the heart of the Nottingbemshire batting by taking three wickets in six balls. He finished with three for 16, Hadlee was the only visiting batsman to offer any resistance bitting 32 including a six off Malone over long on, BOWLING: Whitney, 8-0-44-0: Surridge, 8-0-61-3: Balmbridge, 8-0-65-1: Broad, 4-0-22-1: Gravenoy, 4-0-29-0: OLOUCESTERSHIRE

Malone over long on,
Luton
Glamorgan earned their fourth
League win in succession as they
beat Northamptonshire by six
wickets with three overs to spare,
storing 179 for four in reply to
174 for seven in their 39 overs.
They were put on course by a
valuable 50—his first Sunday Lalf
century of the season—by the
opener, Alan Jones, who shared a
second wicket stand of 56 with
Javed Miandad. Javed his fours
off two successive balls from
Majlender and was caught behind
off the next ball for 29.
Maidstone

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Maidstone
Lancashre, requiring 11 runs off
the last over to beat Kent, managed ten of them in a thrilling
finish to tie the match. Allort (17
not out) hit two successive fours
before Abraham (34) was run out.
Holding joived Allort at the
wicket and scampered through for
a single as the ball was thrown
in wide of the wicket, but returning for the second run Holding
was run out.
Leicester

Leicester
Somerset, chasing a modest
165, slid to an unexpected defeat
against Leicestershire at Grace
Road. They were always behind
the required rate except when
Garner struck two sixes off successive balls from Steele. After be was sixth out for 20 with the score on 39, the task proved too much despite a defiant 42 from Slocombe. By the close they had reached 151 for nine.

Scarborough Graham Clinton scored an un-Graham Clinton scored an unbeaten century as Surrey beat Yorkshire by 15 runs. Surrey totalled 243 for three with Clinton (two sixes and ten fours in 105 not out) and Lynch (five sixes in 70) adding 136 for the third wicket in only 17 overs.

Yorkshire, despite a dashing 28 by Hampshire seemed to have no chance of victory when their sixth wicket fell at 134 but 78 from acting captain Bairstow with two sixes and eight fours left them with a chance but a target of 25 runs off two overs was beyond them.

John Player League



Schools matches Yourse Akmod, c Deskin, b Grandrick Standards, c Deskin, b Grandrick Standards, c Deskin, b Grandrick Standards, b Wood Hamsley, c Hendrick, b Wood Jo N. Patri, c Barnett, b Oldham 1 D J. Humphries Barnett, b Navman I Standard, b Newman St. L. Allovae, c Barnett, b Navman I St. A P Pridgeon, not out Total (9 wkts. 39 avers) 160
J Comber did not bet.
FALL OF WIGHTS: 1—15. 2—35.
3—61. 4—118. 6—127. 7—
154. 6—160. 9—160.
BOWLING: Newman, 8—0—24—3:
Rendrick, 8—2—23—2: Miller, 8—0—39—1: Wood, 8—0—24—2: Oldham, 7—0—48—1. Total (2 wkts, 29.2 overs) . 163
B Woods, A Hdll, K J Barroti, †M
J Beroti, †M
J Barroti, †M
J Barro Umpires: R Julian and A G T White-

Total (8 wks. 55 overs) .. 123 

Total (2 wkts. 26.1 overs) .. 125

N E J Pocock, V P Terry, T M remiett, M D Mershall, 12 J Parks.
Stovenson and S J Malone did not FALL OF WICKETS: 1-23, 2-110.

Motor racing

### Unexpected boost for Prost's turbo

From John Blunsdon Dijon, July 5

Alain Prost won the French Grand Prix here this afternoon to the delight of Renault, but both had to agree that they had had more than a little assistance from the weather. A violent rainstorm brought out the red flag to half the race after 58 of the scheduled 80 laps, with Nelson Piquet and his Brabham heading the field, as they had done from the first

Nuder the new Concorde Agree-Ninder the new Controller Agreement, if a race has run less than three-quarters of its full distance when it is balted, a second race must be run over the remaining leps. Remailt were able to exploit the situation to the full with the control of the run of the run. Turning on the turbo power: I turning on the turbo power: I their powerful turbo-charged cars, for Prost had been less than seven seconds behind the leader when the original race was halted, despite his loss of fourth gear.

For the restart his team fitted super-soft tyres, turned up the turbo boost and even laid paper where the Renaults would line up on the grid to soak up remaining moisture from the rapidly drying track. This time Prost, as well as his team partner Arnoux, who had made a terrible start from pole position in the original race, made excellent getaways, whereas it was Piquet's turn to suffer from excess wheel-spin and be overwhelmed in the first few yards of the race.

The running order at the end of S8 laps had been Piquet, Prost. Watson, Retutemann and Arnoux with Rebaque, Laffite, de Cesaris and Firoul leading the remainder, all a lap behind. The finishing prisingly widely strang out with



order from the second part of the race was Prost, Waison, Arnoux, Pironi, Piquet, de Angelia, Andretti, Jones, Mansell and de Angelia, Seventh iap. This was due in part to Villeneuve's Ferrari, which computing the aggregate times of all the drivers gave a final finishing order of Prost, Watson, Piquet, Arnoux, Pironi, and de Angelia at the lead of the 17 survivors.

Inevitably the stoppage assisted in the correct skinough the

maintain its place.

The surprise was the impressive competitiveness of the latest Mariboro MP4s of the McLaren team. Warson was in top form all weekend and thoroughly deserved his aggregate second place, but the calibre of the new cars was underlined further by the relatively fastest in practice and running compessively in the top 10 of the original race until a loosening wheel nat brought him into the pits just before the rain started. He was then able to work his way back up to sight place when the lead of 12 seconds in the first 10 lays and thereafter was paring himself skilltudy can conserve his car—but if there is consolation for the loss of a seemingly carmin victory it is that be has at least climbed into second place behind Rengement in the world champing the control of the cont

race was resumed for the final 22 laps.

Mansell was one of the several drivers hoping that the srack would remain wet for the second race as this would have helped his Lotus considerably; it had been understeering budly all weekend in the dry. It was not to be and sithough be led his team mate de Angelis across the line in the secand race he was destined to finish just out of the points.

There is little doubt that Piquet was in total channand before the rale—he had quickly built my a lead of 12 seconds in the first 10 laps and thereafter was pating

# The next few races could prove crucial for Miss Brownsdon

From Athoie Still Kiev, July 5

compeniou, the soviet Union duly overwhelmed a much under-strength British swimming team by the crushing margin of 212 points to 132.

Yesterday's results were par-Yesterday's resums were par-ticularly disappointing from the British viewpoint, not only be-cause of our solitary victory in the women's 200 metres butterfly, but more so because of the eclipse of Susannah Brownsdon in the

of Susannah Brownsdon in the 100 metres breaststroke.

For the first time since she joined the senior national squad a year ago, Miss Brownsdon failed to produce what could have been reasonably expected of her on the evidence of her brilliant winning performance over 200 metres on Friday, when she set a new senior Commonwealth record of 2min 34.43sec and moved to second place in the world rankings.

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On that occasion she led through the first 100 metres in limin 13.5sec and still had enough aggression left to drive herself to victory as a reaction to being headed by Aishhute Buzelite a few metres from the finish. Yesterday she could manage only imin 13.3sec for the individual 100 metres and visibly "tied up", when vainly trying to hold off the fast finishing Buzelite, who won in 1min 12.46sec.

The explanation could lie in the fact that Miss Brownsdon's achievments to date have been a succession of delicious surprises, when not too much was expected of her, and her own attitude was still therefore refreshingly innocent. Perhaps this weekend the realisation of her own telent has finally dawned on fier, bringing with it the weight of public and personal expectation. Her next

few races will be crucial to the fullest development of her poten-

After three days of often unequal, but never uninteresting competition, the Soviet Union duly overwhelmed a much understrength British swimming team by the crushing margin of 212 points to 132.

Yesterday's results were particular and some 16 personal best tories about 20 of our leading swimmers not available for the match, never-theless he now intends to send only a Ukranian team to Blackpool for the return match aext year. He added ominously, that a full-

Hipwood is

for his effort

In the first of three matches for the British Open championship, played at Cowdray Park over the weekend. La Inanema defeated

clotto and Alvaro Fieres was the telling factor in the victory, although Southfield are koking core formidable now that Alfredo Harriot, a ten-goal handicap diager who is a recent arrival in this country, is integrating more closely.

rewarded

By John Watson

# Swinburn could lose a Diamond

Racing Correspondent Racing Correspondent
Master Willie was a thoroughly
worthy winner of the Eclipse
Stakes at Sandown Park on Saturday, but sadly his victory, gained
in the most admirable manner,
was almost forgotten in the wake
of a stewards' inquiry. It soon
became clear that Walter Swinburn had fallen foul of the stewards for the second time in as
many months, this time because
of the way that he rode Hard
Fought into second place in the
big race.

At Royal Ascot he had been At Royal Ascot be bad been deemed gulity of careless riding in the King Edward VII Stakes and his punishment was a suspension fasting six days which tost him that sucrative ride on Shergar in the Irish Derby. Swinburn returned to the fray only on Friday, and 24 hours later he was in hor water yet asain. After he Friday, and 24 hours later he was in bot water yet again. After he had finished second on Hard Fooght, the stewards immediately announced an loquiry during which they disqualified Hard Fought for interfering with the third horse, Vielle. And they reported Swindburn to the stewards of the Jockey Club for riding recklessly.

recklessly.
Swinburn will not know the sewerity of his panishment until the disciplinary stewards hear his case. When and where they will meet has still to be decided, but it is already clear that the identity of the man who will ride Shergar winner, but in hampering Vielle be even better when he is ridden in the King George VI and Queen he did her cause no good what-with more restraint than the situ-Education demanded on Saturday. In Ascot later this month is now young man in many ways. He takes the circumstances, his clash with

Pontefract programme

2.45 SMEATON HANDICAP (Selling: 3-y-o:

603; 1 m)

44.40 Sallametti, J Hindley, 9-4 ...... M Hills 5 2

5010 Crimson Flesh, S Norton, 9-4 ..... Lowe 1

2040 Actell, G Richards, 9-1 ..... Bitts

60-00 Steenderle, W Haigh, 9-1 ..... Days

60-00 Distalisatory Floshen, 9-1 ..... Days

60-00 County Period D Ancil, 8-1 ..... Paul Eddery

60-00 Crusty Per I Walker, 8-7 ..... Paul Sedery

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60-00 Makhuba's Girl, S Mollor, 8-4 ..... Wigham 6

60-00 Baldingstone Boy, A Balding, 8-4 Neshit 5 6

6-6 Baldingstone Boy, A Balding, 8-4 Neshit 5 6

15 0000 Copt Again, R Hollmehead, 8-7 . Forts 10
15 0000 Makhba's Gri, S Mollor, 8-4 . Wigham 6
15 00-00 Saidingstone Boy, A Saiding, 8-4 Neshitt 5 5
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9-4 Sailiemetti, 3-1 Audit, 4-1 Crimson Flash, 7-1 15
Makhadm's Girl, 8-1 Copt Again, 14-1 Pontal, Maker, 16-1
19
others.

3.15 HOUGHTON HANDICAP (£2,500: 14m)

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4 3214 Norfolk Flight (D), W Hastings-Bass, 4-8-12

5 3214 Norfolk Flight (C), D Chapman, 4-8-12

6 2223 Hisham Grey (C), D Chapman, Charmon, 1

7 3 40-01 Peter the Batcher (CD), S Nesbitt, 4-7-12

8 40-01 Peter the Batcher (CD), S Nesbitt, 4-7-12

8 40-01 Peter the Batcher (CD), S Nesbitt, 4-7-12

3.45 SPINDRIFTER SPRINT STAKES (2-v-o:

43-3 Final Scrike. 5-3 Major Irish. Changatu, 10-1 Pa No Remarks, 20-1 This One's For You.

4.15 WEBSTER'S PENNINE MILE (Qualifièr:

3-y-0: 1,449: lm)

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Northern Minssrel. J FitzGraid. 9-0

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15 0-000 Royal Orienns, E Carr. 9-0 ... Charnock 16 3304 Scartot Town, R Hollinshead, 9-0 ... Perks

very much in the melting pot. Having won the Irish Derby on him. Lester Piggott would obviously be the logical siterustive were Swindurn to be undergoing another suspension, always assuming that the disciplinary stewards take an equally tim view of his riding as their counterparts did at Sandown. However, it is not quite as simple as that because Piggott could easily be required by Henry Cecil and Mr Jim Joel to team up with last year's St Leger winner, Light Cavaky, always assuming that he comes through his test at Newmarket tomorrow with flying colours.

Only those directly involved were permitted to see the camera patrol film taken from head-on on Saturday, because the case is now sub judice. However, that did not stop the stewards from disqualifying Hard Fought. Nor did it stop those of us who not only saw the race live from the stands, but also watched a recording on television taken from head-on, from forming the opinion that Swinburn did make a cardinal error.

into the classic trap of being boxed in on the ralls behind a resolute front-runner and imprisoned by front-runner and imprisoned by one going equally as well on his outside. Eventually exasperation overtook him and he tried to barge his way out. I doubt whether he would have beaten the winner, but in harmonical Managery

9 10-03 Nobles (C), P. Asquish, 4-7-11 Lows 5 20 13-00 Killesia, M. Albina, 4-7-10 .... Paul Eddery 3 5.15 WRAGBY STAKES (2-y-o: Maiden fillies: 5-1 Paul Filght, 100-30 Helandy, 4-1 Higham Grey, 5-1 Paul Eddery, 7-1 Nobleu, 13-1 Killsia. (5-9) .... 5-1 Paul Eddery 5 5.15 WRAGBY STAKES (2-y-o: Maiden fillies: 5-1 Paul Eddery, 7-1 Nobleu, 13-1 Killsia. (5-9) .... 5-1 Paul Eddery 5 5.15 WRAGBY STAKES (2-y-o: Maiden fillies: 5-1 Paul Eddery, 7-1 Nobleu, 13-1 Killsia. (5-9) .... 5-1 Paul Eddery 5 5.15 WRAGBY STAKES (2-y-o: Maiden fillies: 5-1 Paul Eddery, 7-1 Nobleu, 13-1 Killsia. (5-9) .... 5-1 Paul Eddery 5 5 5-1 Paul Edd

the ups and downs of life philo-sophically, and he will in my opinion be the champion jockey one day. But he is still only 19, and inevitably he will make mis-

His predicament, not to mention the pattern of the race, was
easy to predict. Philip Waldron
and Master Willie had to force
the issue from the word go if
they were to avoid playing into
the hands of those who had proved
themselves over shorter distances.
So, with Swinburn committed to
biding his time on Hard Fought,
the question was would he have
a trouble-free run?

In Swinburn's case this was not

ine question was would be have a trouble-free rim?

In Swinburn's case this was not one of his good days, and no one will sympathize with him more than the former jockey, Geoff Lewis, who experienced similar difficulties in 1969 when he was frying to ride a waiting race on Park Top. At Sandown, more than most courses for some reason, everything has to go right for those coming from behind. Confidence in Master Willie's ability to win was kindled by the knowledge that his jockey was free from the shackles of restraint. Waldron certainly rode Master Willie to perfection by increasing the pace gradually. In turn, Master Willie responded magnificently to every call, and his record this season is a tribute both to himself and to

4.45 BROTHERTON HANDICAP (61.926: 6f)

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10 13 0140- Holdail (D), P Asquith, 3-8-12 Wighten 14
15 10-02 Lady Strier (CD), I Walter, 4-8-10 - 9
15 10-02 Lady Strier (CD), I Walter, 4-8-10 - Baiding 12
10 0000- Courageous Barty, B Modahon, 5-8-9 - 7
11 0000- Courageous Barty, B Modahon, 5-8-9 - 7
12 2010 Java Hight (D), W Wattle, 3-82
19: 00-02 Composind (B), Mrs N Kennedy, 7-7-13
22 40-42 Masic Might (C), D Chapman, 3-7-12
24 -0003 Babas Baity, Peter Taylor, 3-7-9 - Clork 5 8
25 0-000 Denny Ls Rue, J Berry, 4-7-9 - Myers 7 13
1 7-2 April Lacky, 5-1 Lady Sister, 6-1 Skin Deep, 8-1
1 Island Couragnation of Music Night, 10-1 Magnella Lack, 13-1
1 Java Tiger, 14-1 Davidgalaxy Affair, Compound, 16-1
25 5 15 MID A CDV CTA 1/20 C

1-2 Picasent Bream, 5-1 Double Vie, 6-1 Royal Invita 12-1 Flighty Francis, 16-1 Chosmut Pale, 30-0 others

By Our Racing Staff
2.45 Audit. 3.15 Norfolk Flight. 3.45 Final Strike.
4.15 Mr Sinclair. 4.45 Lady Sister. 5.15 Pleasant

2.45 Sallametti. 3.15 Norfolk Flight. 3.45 Final Strike. 4.15 Galibier. 4.45 Irish Commandment. 5.15 Pleasant

Pontefract selections

By Our Newmarket Correspondent



Rivals: eclipsed: Master Willie and Waldron return in

Shergar and company at Ascot has all the makings of being the race of the season. Master Willie is owned now by Robert Barnet, and his sister Elizabeth Roberts, and, already they have had an open offer for their colt from the United States

# The Aga has a pair of aces to play

French Racing Correspondent Paris, July 5

The Aga Khan almost cer-tainly owns the two best three-year-old colts in Europe after Akarat's fine victory in the Grand Prix de Saint-Cloud this afternoon. Prix de Saint-Cloud this afternoon, Akarad is unilkely to mee the Aga Khan's brilliant Shergar in the King George VI and Queen Elizabeth Diamond Stakes at Ascot on July 25, but the pair could clash in the Prix de l'Arc de Triomphe in October. The English trained Prince Bee finished sixth in today's race, but came into the unsaddling enclosure minus his two fore those.

shoes.

Akarod reversed the form with Bikala, whom he beat by two lengths. When the colts last met in the Prix du Jockey-Club (French Derby), Bikala slipped the field before the turn and defeated Akarad by four lengths. There is little doubt that Akarad, a half brother to the 1978 Prix Lupin and Jockey Club winner Acamas, it improving with every race and that is not surprising as the colt was only racing for the fourth time today.

Akarad was the favourite at Akarad was the favourite at

Z7-10, but the heavily backed Argument, who won the Prix Ganay in May, was a disappointing seventh, Lester Piggott commented: "He's not the horse he was." Argument sweated up in the paddock where Prince Bee looked a picture. Willie good chance that Glint of Gold challenge with Akarad as the field may again tackle Shergar in the

colt did not respond. Carson said:
"I should have walked all over
this lot. To lose one shoe is bad
enough but two in unbelievable."

enough but two in unbelievable."

A miserable crowd of about 5.000 turned out to waich the fine racing at Longchamp yesterday. The fact that the weather was dull, the Borg-McEuroe final was on the television and that many French people had already departed for their lengthy summer holidays certainly had an effect, on the attendance. Those present witnessed the first English trained horse winning the Grand Prix de Paris for 60 years when Lemonora was first past the post. Yesterday it was the turn of Glint of Gold, who is rained by Ian Balding and was immaculately ridden by John Matthias.

Taking the advantage from the

Manhias,

Taking the advantage from the long-time leader Tow with two forlongs left to run, Glint of Gold sormed clear of his rivals o win by three lengths from Tipperary First with Vayrann a length and a half away, third, Nearly 10 years ago Glint of Gold's sire, Mill Reef, landed another notable victory in the Prix de l'Arc de Triomphe. He too, was owned by Paul Mellon and trained by Balding at Kingsclere.

Balding sees the Great Voltigeur

Balding sees the Great Voltigeur Stakes at York and the Doncaster St Leger as the main targets for Glint of Gold, who may also come back to France for the Prix Royal-Oak (French St Leger) at the end

8.30 DAISY BANK HANDICAP (3-y-o £1,342

220-6 Train Of Thought, R ATHEFFUR. 5-14.

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01-00 Ghunntri, P Walvyn, S-9 ..... Fook
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100-02 Hot Press (C), R Houghton, S-4 .... Reid
000 Vernkom Strazt, R Candy, S-1 ... Newnes 3
0-024 Destric, I Balding, S-0 .... Payne 5
0-024 Destric, I Balding, S-0 .... Payne 5
0-026 His Master's Velce, M Presson, 7-15
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3040 Bri-Eden (CD), J Berry, 7-10-0 ... Hide 3040 Asent Sine (CD), J M Brediny, 8-8-10

By Our Racing Staff 6.40 Con O'Mara. 7.5 Anniversary Waltz. 7.35 Legal Gambol. 8.5 Prince May. 8.30 Hot Press. 9.0 Brians

Star.

By Our Newmarket Correspondent

6.40 Con O'Mora. 7.5 Hunny Nel. 8.5 Prince Maj.

8.30 Swedish Rhapsody.

9.0 ST SWITHINS HANDICAP (£1,109: 5f)

96-00 Zabareff (8). J M Bradley, 6-7-7 New 4410 Brians Star (D, 8), A Salding, 6-7-7

Wolverhampton selections

1m) 3 3020 Swedish Rhapsody, G P-Gordon, 9-2 Rinny

beth Diamond Stakes at Ascot later in the month. When they met in the Epsom Derby Shergar beat Glint of Gold by 10 lengths. John

Glint of Gold by 10 lengths. John Fellows will next race Tipperary Fixer in the Prix Kergorlay and Vayrann will return to aborter distances.

Recitation was a disappointing sixth behind The Wonder, North Jet, Cresta Rider, Cracaval and Hilal in the Prix d'Ispahan. Cresta Rider was asked by Philippe Paquet to make all the running in this event and the colt was still bowlin galong in front when the field reached the straight. At this point Bruce Raymond brought Recitation to challenge but the English colt had little more to offer. Unhappy on the soft ground, Cresta Rider ran on gamely but had no answer to the late challenges of North Jet and then The Wonder, who went on to win by two lengths at odds of

then The Wonder, who went on to win by two lengths at odds of a shade over 13-1.
Recitation had twice beaten Cresta Rider before the Prix d'Ispahan but as tive and a half lengths adrift after yesterday's race. Guy Harwood was adamant when stating the reasons for his coits below-par display. "The coit's been here for 10 days due to the tote strike. He arrived in cracking form but obviously the change of food, water and air have unset Recitation."

Sir Philip Payne-Galwey, who manages the Stavros Marchos string, said that the colt would next turn out for the Sussex Stakes as Goodwood prior to the Prix Jaques le Marois at Deau-ville.

Sandown Park results

Haydock Park

Beverley

ABLYNOVER I GITA

1.30: 1. Woodcutter (13-8 fav: 2.
Harris Tweed (7-2: : 3. Bign Dancer
(9-2: 1.2 ran. NR: Denmy Manchester.
2.0: 1. Piperhill (100-30: 2. Rollin
Hand (6-1: 3. Sauvage (100-30).
Composer 5-2 fav. 8 rbs.
2.30: 1. Degberry (100-30: 3.
2.50: 1. Degberry (100-30: 3.
2.760rbibe (13-1: Hussian George 3-1)
1-12 v. 8 run.

2.15 1. Wishing Rose '6-1': 2. Bare Essentials (3-2 it fav: 3. Townsite Grees (3-2 ): lav. B ran. NR Peter and Dud.

15 ran.

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2. Casilesion Park (11-4); 5, Dragum (11-1); 7 fab., R. Micro (14-1); 2, Dragum (11-1); 7 fab., R. Micro (14-1); 2, Rusware (100-30); 5, Khaled (6-1); Royal Dury, 9-2 fav., 13 ran. NR Western Receives (6-4 fav); 2, Fairy King (20-1); 3, Copt. Hall Royale (11-1); 14 ran.

Yesterday was mostly Gay Wildenstein's ponies that carried Les Diables Bleus to a neldeserved 9—4 win against & Coodray Park. Les Diables hamorise deserved 9-4 win against a Coudray Park. Les Diables harmonie
more impressively than individualistic Cowdray: Julian Hipwood, the
Diables lynch-pin and captain, at
once ublitquitous, treless and
quick, scored five goals for his
team; Prince Charles and Robert
Graham scored one each and
Wildenstein, who has mastered the
number one position quite admirably, managed two goals.

Graham, who is monated by his
father-in-law, Hap Sharp, still
suffers occasionally from the concussion he incurred earlier in the
season and so played back again.
But that is clearly not the best
arrangement for Les Diables is

Next to the Cowdray Park Laws ground, where the Centaurs beat Foxcote 9—4. The Centaurs played classic team polo, preading down, the ground and marking like leeches. In particular, Alan Rent Parkets's 1.45; 1. Cojess (16-1; 2. Blaket-ware County (11-8 fav); 5. Hithermoor Lass (12-11. If ran. 2.15; 1. Frinces Cate (6-1); 2. Teamwork (6-4 fav); 3. Tugoriove (6-1). 8 ran. C.35; 1. Master Willie (6-4 fav); 3. Vicile (16-1); 5. Fingal's Cave (25-1). leeches. In particular, Alan Kent kept a wary eye on Foxcote's Argentin pivot man. Pielo Guerico. The dominating figure on the ground, Mexican nine-goal Amonio Herrera, played a successful mtual game with fast galloping Kent, while the American, lack Oxley, proved a sharp and vigilant number one. Mark Vestey tried his best to cover Herera but, for the most part, failed.

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(4): 3, J. Hibwood (9): Back. R
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CIRENCESTER: Maple Lesis R. Stawell Park 4: Falcons 9. Sistemore 6. Non-playing Members Cup: Com Valley 4's. Covintum 4.

Best waterski jump Michael Hazlewood had the longest jump in Europe, at 190 feet 9 inches in the British national waterski championships. sponsored by Peter Stuyvesant, at Kirtons Farm club. The results were:

Peter 2nd Did.

2.45 1. Nevigational Aid (10-1)
fav: 2. Tentworth (9-4); 3. Ribble
Rouser (4-1), 5 ran.

3.15 1. Bazards Bay (3-1); 2.
Chrome Mag (10-1); 5. Middlin
Throng (Evens Inv. 14 ran. NR
Capvista, Sirike Again and Drakes
lady.
3.45 2. Ballyweckmacres (6-4); 2.
Janushid 111-8 fav: 3. Silty Twist
(7-2); 5 ran.

4.15 1. Francesco (6-4); 2.
Weaver's Pin (14-1); 5. Queen of the
Rog (14-1); Fine Sun. 11-10 fav.
15 ran.

4.45 1. Singley; Sallow 15-2 fav); 

> Longchamp PRIX DE LA PORTE MAILLOT: 1.
> GOSPOTI: 2. Misira: 5. Manjam. 13 ran.
> GRAND PRIX DE PARIS: 1. Callet
> of Gold: 2. Tipperary Fixer: 5. Vay.
> FART. 11 ran.
> PRIX D'ISPAHAN: 1. The Wooden:
> 2. North Jer: 5. Crosis Rider. 11 ran.
> PRIX DE MALLERET: 1. Lander:
> 2. Landraxe: 3. La Pompadour. 9 tan.
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Wolverhampton Card 40 DR ABERNETHY STAKES (2-y-o Maiden

Tilles: 2530: /1)

OOS Busy Emble, D Thome, 3-11

O Coury Dell, I Bakking, 8-11

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O Heardway, J Gfbert, 3-11

O Heron's Race, J Percock, 9-11

OLICHY Jeker, R Hollinshead, 8-11

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O Wolletten, G Hunier, 3-11

4 Com O'Mora, S-2 Lucky Joker, 4-1 Strep Dell, 8-1 Wolletten, 14-1 others, 7.5 HOPEFUL STAKES (Selling: 2-y-9: £672: 25

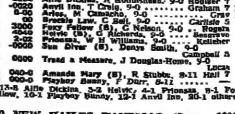
7.35 IOSEPH SUNLIGHT CUP (Handicap: 3-7-0: 10

8.5 KINGSWOOD STAKES (3-0 £1,035: 11m)



1 - 6000 Outst Cannon (B). J Berry, 4-10-0 Ropers 2 0000 Semething Special, F Dury, 4-9-0 W McKern 10 2433 Winter Sensibles (C). P Hadam. 5-8-12 10 2433 Winter Sensibles (C). P Hadam. 5-8-12 10 000 Region Rever, K Morsau, 5-7-15 Gray 5 9 70-01 Splendth Again, N Tinkler, 6-7-8 Gray 5 11 0030 Roven (B), S Neithfl. 6-7-7 Griffiths 7 10 0000 Grey Eagle, T Chaig, 8-7-7 ... Murray 7 1 14 040/ Guiden End (B); R Cross, 10-7-7 Proper 5 8 2.0 Sami. 2.30 Keep Smiling, 3.0 Sami. 2.30 Keep Smiling, 3.0 Sami. 2.30 Keep Smiling, 3.0 Sami. 2.30 Keep Smiling, 3.0

13 200-4 Hyliff, I Pht/Garold, 4-9-5 ... Carliele 5 6
14 6-002 Some Cherry, T Taylor, 5-9-5 ... Seegrave 9
18 00-00 Faling Schnell, S Wilce, 5-9-5 ... Lease 10
19 --1002 Island Walk (D) W Haigh, 3-9-3 Proud 5 3
20 00-00 Keiter Lare, R Stubbs, 3-9-0 Proud 5 3
3-1 Eliza 6 Rich, 4-1 Rylli, 6-1 Good On You, Some Cherry, 3-1 Island Walk, 10-1 Rehoboam, Salierd, 12-1 Sir Jester, 16-1 others.



2.0 1. Hethermai [33-1:: 2, The Knife [7-1: 3, Polly's Broiner [2-1 hav]. 17 ran, NR Biya Judge.
2.30 1. Oratave [13-R [av]] 2. Green Memory (11-4:: 3, All Moss [7-1: 6] ran.
3.0 1. Kiss (4-1); Maryland Cookie [4-1: 3, Boldly Go [6-1], Persian Bact 5.2 fay, 11 fam. 3.0 1. Kiss (4-1): Maryland Cookie (4-1): 3. Boldly Go (6-1). Persian Part, 5.2 fav. 11 ran.
Part, 5.2 fav. 11 ran.
Part, 5.2 fav. 11 ran.
3.30 1. My Dad Tom (1-3 fav): 2. Justicki (7-1): 3. Annsone Boy (15-2).
4 ran.
4.0 1. Taker '18-13 fav): 2. Lip Country (33-1): 3. New Continent (11-4): 5 ran. NR St. Bride.
4.30 1. Martialls (11-2): 2. Julie Markot (Evens fav): 3. Uncle Dat (13-1) 10 Ton.
5.0 1. Ramanaelle (11-4): 2. Arrowhead '11-41: 3. Nutty Stack (50-1).
Sheer Delight (Evens fav): 15 ran. Nottingham 7.0: 1. Tomaschek 11-4 (201: 2. Sarsfield 19-11: 3. Farsound (9-1).

Sensible (9-1): 3. retrocute
7.25; 1. Tone Up 19-21; 2. Stubblugion Green (2-1 Jav): 3. Cella's
Halo (9-1). 10 ran.
7.50: 1. Favilion (5-2 fav): 2.
Russian Romance (8-1): 5. Miss
Twiggy (20-1): 9 ran.
8.15; 1 Basiela (12-1): 2.
Northorpe (33-1): 5. Honohron Weaver
(16-1): Count du Barry (1-2 fav): 23
ran. (16-1)<sub>4</sub> Count on sarry (1-2 ct. 2.) ran. 48.40: 1. Sterienia (7-1): 2. Dock-land (8-1) Nov: 3. Mouschold (11-2): 22 mg. 9.05: 1. Sami (7-4 fav): 2. Steel Son (8-1): 5. Toccala (12-1): 12 ran.

Busy Cook

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Pari Cook's treble at three
separate meetings on Saturday—
Sandown Park, Bath and Nottingham—took him into fourth place
in the Amoco Jockeys Association
championship mble, with 527
points. Lester Piggott (933 points)
leads the table from Willie Carson
(793 points).

Thursday
NEWMARKET: R Cupst. I lead of selection of saturday—
Russe. B Jayon P voints & Lesters. J warding of saturday.
Sandown P ark, Bath and Nottingladden. R Taylor. J Merer.
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McRay. 5 18 7.35 BEAUMONT HANDHCAP (£2,225: 1½m)
1 1023
2 0440 Calamp d'avril. D Whelah. 4-9-3
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# In his last desperate hours the Shah ordered that no one—even the Figure The Shah goes-and the Ayatollah comes home

throne and installed an Islamic government dominated by his arch-enemy the Ayatollah Khomeini remains as little understood in the

West as it was unexpected.
The distinguished Egyptian writer and editor
Mohamed Heikal is outstandingly equipped to be its interpreter, combining understanding of the Moslem world with a Western perspective. His full account, The Return of the Ayatollah, from which these exclusive extracts are taken, is to be published by André Deutsch at £9.95

on November 12.



published in 1951, was called fran on a Volcano, and in the 30 years since he has followed events there with particular interest. In 1975 he was invited to Tehran by the Shah and had long conversations with him and his ministers, and with his opponents. Three years later he came to know knoweini in Paris, an acquaintanceship renewed — as these extracts will show — after the Revolution. Heikal begins with the events that led to the fall of the

The Israelis were the first to start ringing the alarm bells. start ringing the alarm bells. Hardly anybody had more to lose than they by the collapse of the Shah's regime. He was an ally of long standing and shared interests, an invaluable partner in the exchange of intelligence and in trade, now running at about \$400 million a year.

million a year. The Shah's Iran was also a considerable purchaser of Israeli arms; even at a time when the Shah was busily coordinating oil policy with his OPEC partners, he was placing an order in Israel for small arms worth \$600 million. Khomeini, on the other hand, had already established close relations with the Palestinians, some of whom were serving in his bodyguard, while others were helping to smuggle arms into Iran for use by the Mujahiddin Khalk, and even for the Fedayin Khalk both left-wing militant

The Israeli mission in the cheran, headed by the rmer Mossad (Israeli security service) official Uri embassy, but it was more of a fortress than anything else. It was protected by barricades and steel doors, and there was an emergency escape route provided by an iron staircase which led to the roof and then across to an adjacent building which offered a descent into another street. The Israelis reported their apprehensions over what was going on, but when this was relayed to the Shah via General Afshar he sent the Israelis a message by Savak, the secret police, that they

were to stop spreading alarmist rumours. It is now known that four principal courses of action were under consideration by those in and around govern-ment. The first was that the Shah should make a genuine effort to liberalize the regime. The second was to hit hard and to crush the incipient revolution by force. It was generally assumed, however, that it was too late for any move towards liberalization to be credible or successful, and by now army discipline was so suspect that coercion would be at best extremely

hazardous. So a third course, which had many supporters, was that the Shah should take a long vacation, handing over to a regency council headed by the Empress Farah. If conditions improved, the Shah would be able in due course to return; if they did not, the Empress would continue to rule until the Crown Prince came of age.

to be the one preferred by the Israelis, and by the Empress, who feit that the Shah's family (mother, sis-ters, brothers), with whom she had never been on good terms, were giving him bad and possibly fatal advice. It fitted in with her overriding concern to preserve the throne for her son. This solution was also favoured by the influential head of the Pahlevi Foundation, Jaafar Sherif Emami; he calculated that he would probably be prime minister if such a regency were formed, which would enable him to play the role of eminence grise behind the

A fourth solution, which appealed to some CIA elements, was for a military coup, rather on the lines of Ayub Khan's in neighbour-ing Pakistan. If the people wanted a republic, ran this argument, let them have it

eral would be made president, and the ground would be cut from beneath the feet of the revolutionaries.

The CIA was formulating its own policy, which often differed from that of the State Department. The Pentagon was also involved, because the American de-fence chiefs looked on Iran as one of their principal garrison outposts, as well as being of course a lavish purchaser of American arms. So the American Military Mission assumed an importance equal to that of the Embassy or the CIA.

In this connexion it is interesting to note that the Congressional Committee set up to supervise intelli-gence activities should have released, after the Shah had gone into exile, a report from the mission dated September 28, 1978, which expressed the opinion that the Shah would face no serious danger for at least 10 years because nothing would challenge the basis of his authority, which was the

the Americans were speaking with several voictain what the Americans wanted, but she felt that they were not keen on her project for a regency. Some time around the beginning of August she was persuaded by Emami that the situation was so serious that it was her duty to try to awake the Shah to realities.

They were not seeing much of each other in those days, the Shah keeping to his own wing of the Palace, but she went to visit him, primed with information about the demonstrations supplied by her family and friends. He brushed her pleas aside, assuring her that he had his own private souces of information and that her relatives were being deceived. But she insisted. and begged him to check.

### Shouting in the streets

Reluctantly, the Shah agreed, but looking around him he found there was nobody he could trust absolutely except his old valet. So this man was sent into the town to see what was going on. He made his reconnaissance and brought back his report: "Your Majesty, there are some people in the streets shouting, it is true, but they are obviously all communists who have been paid by somebody to demonstrate."

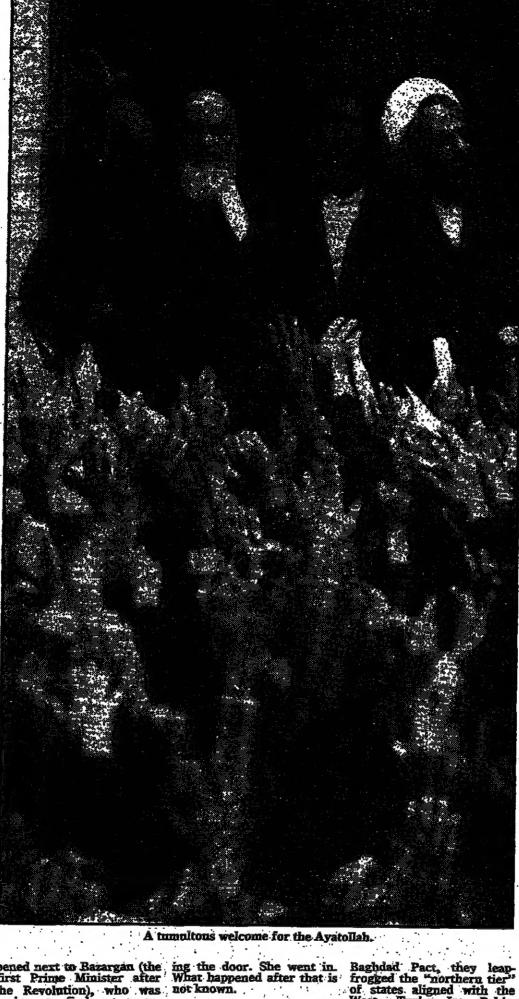
The Shah went to Farahand told her that he now had his first-hand report, which showed that her apprehensions were greatly exagger-This solution was thought ated. She burst into tears and left the room.

All the same, the Shah
must have been to some extent shaken, because the next day he summoned his personal pilot and went alone with him on a helicopter journey over the capital.

ter journey over the capital. The streets were full of demonstrators. "Are all those people demonstrating against me?" he asked his pilot, incredulously.

The pilot refused to answer, but his silence was sufficient. The Shah returned to the Palace completely shattered. He began to think that there was to think that there was

nobody left he could trust.
This journey had a bizarre sequel the same night. The Shah went to his private suite, summoned the two officers from the Royal Guard who were always in attendance, and gave them strict instructions that nobody was to be allowed in



pened next to Bazargan (the first Prime Minister after the Revolution), who was curious to find out everything he could about the last

days of the Shah. According to this officer. the Shah repeated with significant emphasis: "You understand, nobody is to be allowed in without being searched." The officer, whose thoughts immediately turned to the one person most likely to appear, re-peated "Nobody?" "Yes", said the Shah. "Nobody; not even the Empress."

Guessing something of what the Shah must be feeling after his helicopter journey, the Empress de-cided at about 8 o'clock to go to see him, if possible to comfort him. She was wearing a cloak over her night-gown, but found to her great surprise that the doors leading to the Shah's suite were locked, with an officer standing guard in front of

The officer, with tears in his eyes, explained that the Shah had given the strictest instructions that she was not to be allowed in without being searched. She indignantly refused to be searched, and went back to her own quarters.

However, after a while she changed her mind and went back. "Go ahead search me", she told the guard. She was weeping, and the guard, equally moved, could not bring himself to touch her. "Go arms deal, the revolution in inside", he told her, unlock-

During that summer and autumn unrest grew in Iran, with strikes, and demonstrations. The Shah promised a series of democratic reforms, including the holding of new elec-tions. The Ayatollah Khomeini moved from exile in Iraq to Paris, and gathered around him an entourage devoted to the cause of Islamic revo-lation. On Iran's northern border the Soviet Union was watching these events with a mixture of interest

and puzzlement. The first official Russsian comment on the crisis came on November 19 when Pravda reported a warning by Brezhnev that any interference by the United States, "especially military interference", in the internal affairs of Iran "would be regarded by the Soviet Union as affecting the interests of its security".

Moscow's previous silence reflected the Russian leaders' continuing difficulty in

ers' continuing difficulty in working out a policy towards their southern neighbour which would be consistent both with com-

West — Turkey, Iran, Pakis-But with the Arabs' defeat in 1967, and later with Sadat's anti-Soviet stance, they began to look with renewed interest at the "northern tier". Turkey and Pakistan ceased to be bastions of pro-western stab-ility. Afghanistan moved leffwards, new Soviet out-posts to the south emerged in Aden and Ethiopia. And now there appeared to be promising symptoms in

the Shah was along the do-classic lines of bourgeois revolutions — liberals demanding an end to autocracy and the restoration of the 1906 constitution. But by the beginning of 1978 it became clear that this simple interpretation would not

I recall one high-ranking Soviet official saying to me: "In the Middle East revolution always seems to come from the most unexpected quarters. The Egyptian in Iran, about the poor who revolution of 1952 came were disappointed in their from the samy, and as armies are there to protect things, the petite bourtine expect them to be the seed-beds of revolution. And then the transport of the petite bourgeoisie who resented the foreign multi-nationals and being derived of any the Iranian revolution the Iranian revolution and being deprived of any emerged from religion, and share in government. He did Marxists have to assume that religion is by its nature reactionary."

A sad farewell for the Shah. Moscow was obliged to believe that sooner or later

the religious trappings of the Iranian revolution would be dispensed with and a proper secular leadership would emerge. So it con-tinued its traditional support for the Tudeh Party.

Then one day in late summer a most curious occurred. Soviet Ambassador in Tehe-ran, Vladimir Vinogradov, received a message that the Shah would like to see him. The Shah had tried to keep on good terms with the Soviets, supplying them as contracts were conwith gas and oil and return-with gas and oil and return-defectors who defectors who their fate.

His personal relations with Vinogradov had always been cordial; he had enjoyed the chance of an occasional informal discussion with him when he would let off steam about the Americans or chide Vinogradov about the so-called testament of Peter the Great, with its advice that Russia must expand southwards to the Gulf (a document which Vinogradov told him was a forgery concocted by the eighteenth-century transvestite French diplomat, the Chevalier d'Eon). But this time more serious matters were to be discussed.

asked Vinogradov a direct question: "What do you think of what is happen-But symptoms of what? aback, Vinogradov anassumed that opposition to majesty knows better than I the Shah was along the

"But I want to hear your analysis," said the Shah. "Sir, I am sorry, but my analysis would have to be a Marxist analysis, and this might not please you."

"I want to hear your Marxist analysis," said the Shah. "I don't mind hearing

So Vinogradov, as tact-fully as he could, began to talk about the class struggle not, however, say anything about corruption or the charges that the Shab was

question at Vinogradov which he was not prepared for: "What would you do in my place?"

Vinogradov felt obliged to answer: "Sir, I was never a shah in my life, I am afraid I cannot be of any help to you." But he did assure the Shah that the Soviet Union had no quarrel with him and would try to help Iran as much as it could.

and steel mills, power sta-tions and railways, all of which needed a lot of hard work and yielded small profits. He quoted a Russian proverb to the effect that a strong neighbour is a security against trouble because he will be able to keep out intruders.

### How the exile ended

Vinogradov thought that the Americans were using the Shah against the Soviet Union, and that though the Shah sometimes tried to rebel against their tutelage, in the end he had to obey. He felt that in his heart the Shah thought the Americans despised him and that he tried to pick quarrels with them on minor issues as a way of releasing his frustrations and complexes.

American policy on Iran

was now in disarray, with Washington refusing to accept the advice of its accept the advice of its Ambassador, William Sullivan, that the Iranian army would disintegrate if Khomeini returned. In January 1979, the Shah left Iran for a "holiday", leaving the government in the hands of Shaphour Bakhtiar, the Prime Minister. In February, with serious rioting in Tehran and Tabriz, and army units in a state of mutiny, units in a state of mutiny, Ayatollah Khomeini left Paris to return home after 14 years' exile.

Khomeini boarded the Air France jet on the evening of February 1 and went straight to the upper sec-tion, where he performed his ritual ablutions (wudu), said the prayers for those facing death, ate a little yoghurt, spread his doshak on the floor, and went to sleep. In the main section of the plane was his entourage (he had forbidden his wife or any of his supporters' wives to make the journey), as well as a large contingent of journalists, about a hun-dred people in all.

There was a good deal of nervousness. "Are they going to fire at us?" the crew wanted to know. Nobody could be sure.

acting as an agent for the United States.

The Shah remained intent for a while, and then fired a question at Vinogradov which he was not prepared for: "What would you do in my place?"

slept till 5 o'clock, when he again performed the wudu', repeated the dawn prayers and the prayers of those who expect to die, and ate a little more yoghurt. As the plane neared Tehran, one of the returning exiles who the returning exiles, who had been unable to sleep all night, went up to Khomeini and drew his attention to the view through the window over the city which he had not seen for nearly fourteen

> In the capital it was an occasion of unbridled re-ligious rejoicing, for which there has probably been no world. If the Hidden Imam had in truth reappeared after eleven hundred years, the fervour could hardly have been greater.

People were shouting "The soul of Hussein is coming back!", "The doors of Paradise have been opened again!", "Now is the hour of martyrdom!" and similar cries of ecstasy though, as the Ayatollah Shariatmadari sardonically remarked, nobody had ever expected the Hidden Imam to return in a jumbo jet. When this comment was reported to Khomeini he was not amused.

Seeing the whole population of the capital in such a ferment, the government and army announced that they could not be responsible for the Imam's reception or for his security, perhaps calculating that, surrounded by a mob of millions, a frail old man of eighty stood little chance of survival, an outcome which would not have been wholly unwelcome to them — better he should be killed by his supporters' love than by the army's tanks.

But the local Komitays [activists] took over and acted as guards around Khomeini, and the people showed a surprising discipline. However, the streets were so crowded that there was no hope of Khomeini's being able to make his way through them, so it was decided that he should continue his journey by helicopter. Although there had been a mutiny at the air force base a helicopter and crew were produced and Khomeini flew low over the heads of his wildly cheering supporters to the Hussein-iyeh School, whence he was to stay. to stay.

As a last resort Bakhtiar proclaimed a curfew. When he heard this Khomeini took a piece of paper and wrote on it "With the help of God, defy the curfew!" The paper was taken to the television station, and before it was occupied by some remnants of the army a picture of the piece of paper was shown on the television screens. The people poured out.

It was the last day before the Islamic Revolution Alone in his part of the finally took over. aeroplane the Ayatollah © 1981 Mohamed Heikal

# The pride of Empress Farah

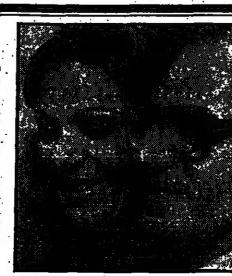
and even generals, came to feel they had a better chance of getting their point of view listened to if they spoke to the Empress Farah than if they made a direct approach to the Shah. The Shah himself became almost completely unresponsive.

There were many forms of silence

in this complex and moody man - the silence of the inscrutable autocrat, who would listen but would only speak to give orders; the silence of the melancholy father of his people, who viewed the world and its follies with an eye clear of illusion; and argument, let them have it without first being sear- finally the silence of frustration, of a — the Shah would go into ched. One of the officers man trapped and bewildered. He spent finally the silence of frustration, of a exile, a good Moslem gen- later described what hap- hours staring out of the window of his

Many people, including court officials office, and answered those who spoke to him with grunts rather than with

> The Empress, on the other hand, become even more preoccupied than the Shah with the need to keep the the Shah win the need to keep the throne for her son, the Crown Prince. She was a proud and intelligent woman. Sometimes, angered by her husband's continuing random infidelities, she contemplated leaving him, as she did again during their Mexico exile. But she knew well that her marriage had never been intended as a love match. As she once said in a moment of bitterness: "I was only valuable to them because I got pregnant, I was a good cow." But her pride kept her loyal.



Tomorrow: With the students inside the **American Embassy** 

# Keeping prisoners' creative spirit alive, the man who spent 100 days in the shadow of death

Arthur Koestler, the writer, will be guest of honour at a party thrown by Sir Hugh Casson at the Royal Academy this week to celebrate the anniversary of an award scheme started by Koestler 20 years ago to encourage writers, artists and craftsmen. Few of the recent beneficiaries will be able to attend; most are

Some 4,000 creative inmates of Her Majesty's prisons and borstals and patients in special hospitals have benefited from Koestler Awards since their patron took his scheme to the Home Office in 1961. The prizes are modest, mostly of £3 or £5, but then a quid in the nick is mostly of £3 or £5, but then a quid in the nick is worth 50 outside. A handful of winners have gone on to pursue the comparatively straight career of professional painter or

Until now Koestler has almost never talked publicly about his awards, an unusual attitude for a man once described by his friend Philip Toynbee as an incompatible mixture of brilliant talker and naive boaster. But for once, sitting in the lounge of his tall, dark Georgian house in a quiet Knightsbridge square, the room decorated with prisoners' abstracts and matchstick models of Viking longships, he

To Koestler, giving prizes to prisoners is no mere philanthropic do-gooding, no vicarious love affair with the ideals of prison reform. He has known the death cell, and is on firstname terms with the state of mind that inhabits an incarcer-ated body. "The main problem of the prisoner is not fear of the hangman. It is apathy, depression and gradual dehumanization. The spark dies."

It was as a committed Commu-

nist, and as a Spanish Civil War correspondent of the late News Chronicle (a common combination that for a while earned that paper the sobriquet Novy Chronicle) that he smelled prison at first hand. He was ailed by Franco's men for 100 days, and spent most of his internment expecting execution. The Koestler spark was clearly not snuffed out.

"I am a so-called intellectual and therefore was not a typical back on. I made for myself a school timetable: an hour of French every day an hour of

mathematics, and so on. Then I was eventually allowed paper and a stub of pencil; that was an enormous event."

He squeezes reminiscence from his memory in carefullyformed drops, strained through the filter of heavy-accented mid-European English that belies nearly 40 years of British nationality. There are long pauses, and each nugget has the stamp of being hand-finished before delivery.

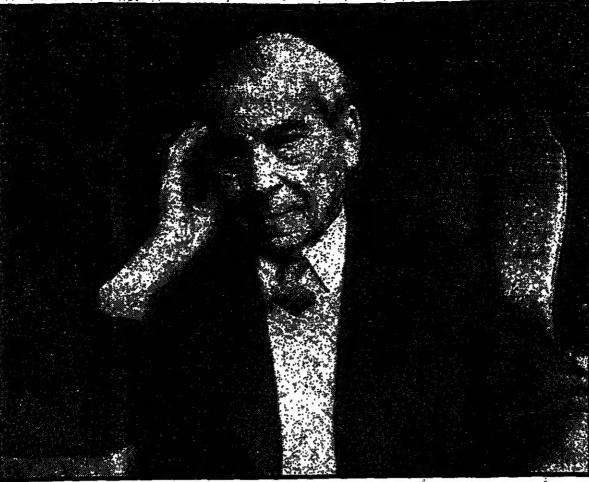
### Man's trouble - too big a brain

It was while behind Franco's bars that Koestler experienced his mystic vision. The committed Communist, apparatchik to a philosophy that promises a rational, earthly answer to every question, experienced a Pauline glimpse of the immortal and the infinite. The experience did not transform the Budapestborn Jew into a Muscular Christian, but it did help to turn the rationalist intellectual into something of a futurologist and celebrated scientific divine, who celebrated scientific divine, who predicted in this newspaper in 1969 that by 1980 Britain would be run not by a talented meritocracy but by a new class of the safely mediocre (arguably correct) and that he would look forward to solving The Times crossword number 15,691 (wrong; unforseen events mean that today we are only at no 15,570). 15,570).

The duality of Koestler's work has been widely remarked upon by critics. That he is well aware of it himself is suggested by the title of his last major original work, Janus: a Summing Up, published in 1978, in which he takes the misanthropic view that man's chief trouble is that his brain is too big, and that he will soon destroy himself.

That view may well be true; it is certainly a further example of Koestler's duality that he can take such a dyspectic view of the human race while at the same time paying from his own pocket to donate money, goals and hope to convicted criminals.

His experience of jail did not end with his fortuitous release from Franco's dungeons. Finding himself in France at the outbreak of the Second World War he was interned again.



Arthur Koestler: "No Oscar Wildes but some real talent."

Being Hungarian he was neither friend nor foe, so the French locked him up as a dubious alien just to be on the safe side.

In 1940 he escaped to England In 1940 he escaped to England with the persona and papers of Albert Dubert, a mythical Swiss taxi driver from Berne. But the British authorities were as sceptical as the French, it being the period of the great Fifth Column scare, and Koestler spent six weeks in Pentonville until the Home Office were esticited as to who he really satisfied as to who he really

Since then he has lived respectably on the right side of the bars, become a naturalized Briton, and has become a member of the British literary establishment. During a small argument with the Metropolitan Police in 1957 over an allegation. of dangerous driving, he was ted by a jury.

But the feel, the smell, the

hopelessness of prison never left him. About 1960 he became active again as a leading protagonist in the late Sydney Silver-man's campaign for the abolition of the death penalty. He is still strongly opposed to what he calls "the quick death of the body as compared with the slow death of the spirit." He would still not favour the return of hanging, even for terrorist crimes.

"The death penalty is not a deterrent. On the contrary, it might invite imitation. Therefore the only remaining motive is revenge, which one naturally rejects." And, he adds, there is always the awful possibility that you will hang the wrong man. Having belped to shell the entrenched conservative bastin of Home Office bureaucracy

granted bail and finally acquit- with the heavy artillery of ted by a jury. reasoned liberal argument геаѕопед against hanging. Koestler was therefore surprised and pleased at the alacrity with which they acted upon his suggestion for an award scheme to keep alive the spark of prisoners' creativity.

### Something to keep quiet about

"From my initial suggestion to their agreement to the scheme took only a year," he said, still after 20 years struck with wonder at the speed. Perhaps they were impressed by his credentials. As long ago as 1940 he had published Darkness At Noon, an account of a condemned man in one of Stalin's jails which remains one

of the century's outstanding political novels.

It also remains the supreme work of Koestler the polemicist, having divorced Stalinism in 1937, he proceeded to attack it in that book with all the ardour with which he had once embraced it. He never actually did time in any of Stalin's jails, but as a one-time agent of the notorious Ogpu, forerunner of the KGB, he knew well enough what went on in the purges.

Koestler the polemicist has been curiously self-effacing about his prison awards; it is as though he was so well aware of his reputation for opinions, even arrogances, in other direc-tions, that he needed something to keep quiet about.

"I originally wanted this scheme to be arronymous, without the smell of selfout the smell of self-advertisement about it." For the advertisement about it." For the first 10 years, he paid the £1,000 of annual prizes from his own pocket; for the second decade, half the money has been contributed by sympathetic donors, both individual and corporate. Now more are needed, and Wednesday's party at the RA will have a strong fund-raising will have a strong fund-raising Koestler has written into his

will a codicil which ensures that the awards will continue for at least 10 years after his death.
"When I first thought of the scheme, I thought of something which might counteract the death of the soul which pris-oners experience: I wanted something more constructive than prison — something to compete for, something creative. And I hoped that by making it competitive some creative potential, unknown even to the prisoner, might be

"I had no illusions about discovering an Oscar Wilde, But we have discovered some real talent, like the novelist Zeno and the painter Robert Farquar. And quite apart from these visible success stories, I know from fan letters that a great many prisoners have been helped and cheered. The aim was not charity, but incentive." Every year a top award of £100 is offered for really outstanding work; it has yet to be won.

Koestler takes no part in the administration of the awards, which has recently passed from Sir Hugh Casson to the Hon

David Astor, nor in the judging which is left to a distinguished artistic panel. But he hints that given a free hand, he might do things differently.

The judges take a populisi rather than an elitist approach, giving small prizes to a large number," he said, leaving the unspoken feeling that he would perhaps prefer it the other way round.

There has been one major embarrassment during the 20 years of prizegiving; in 1964 Dartmoor inmate won the £25 top literary prize with a novel called Young and Sensitive which was acclaimed by the critics as a work of great and original talent. The author later admitted he had copied most of it from an existing published novel, and shamefacedly returned the prize money. But not before Hutchinson had sold 3,000 hardback copies.

### A face lined with experience

Arthur Koestler does not look like an ex-prisoner. He is small swarthy, and sharp, with a head of grey hair that shows no hine of recession. Despite his 76 years, his face is that of a young man; the lines appear to have been imprinted by experience rather than age.

It is, of course, almost half a lifetime since he was on the wrong side of the bars. Since then his obsession has been with psychology and science, his self-confessed first loves which he studied as a young man at the University of Vienna, but abandoned before attaining his degree. He finally achieved his first formal academic scien-tific qualification only last month, when Manchester University awarded him an honorary doctorate of science.

most of the great political upheavals of the twentieth century, either inside or outside prison. He is the last Koestler of his line, not only because he is childless despite three marriages but also because an aunt and several cousins were taken to Auschwitz, and did not return.

Alan Hamilton

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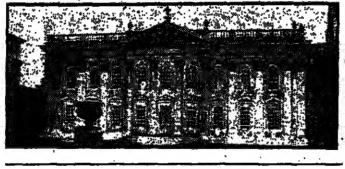
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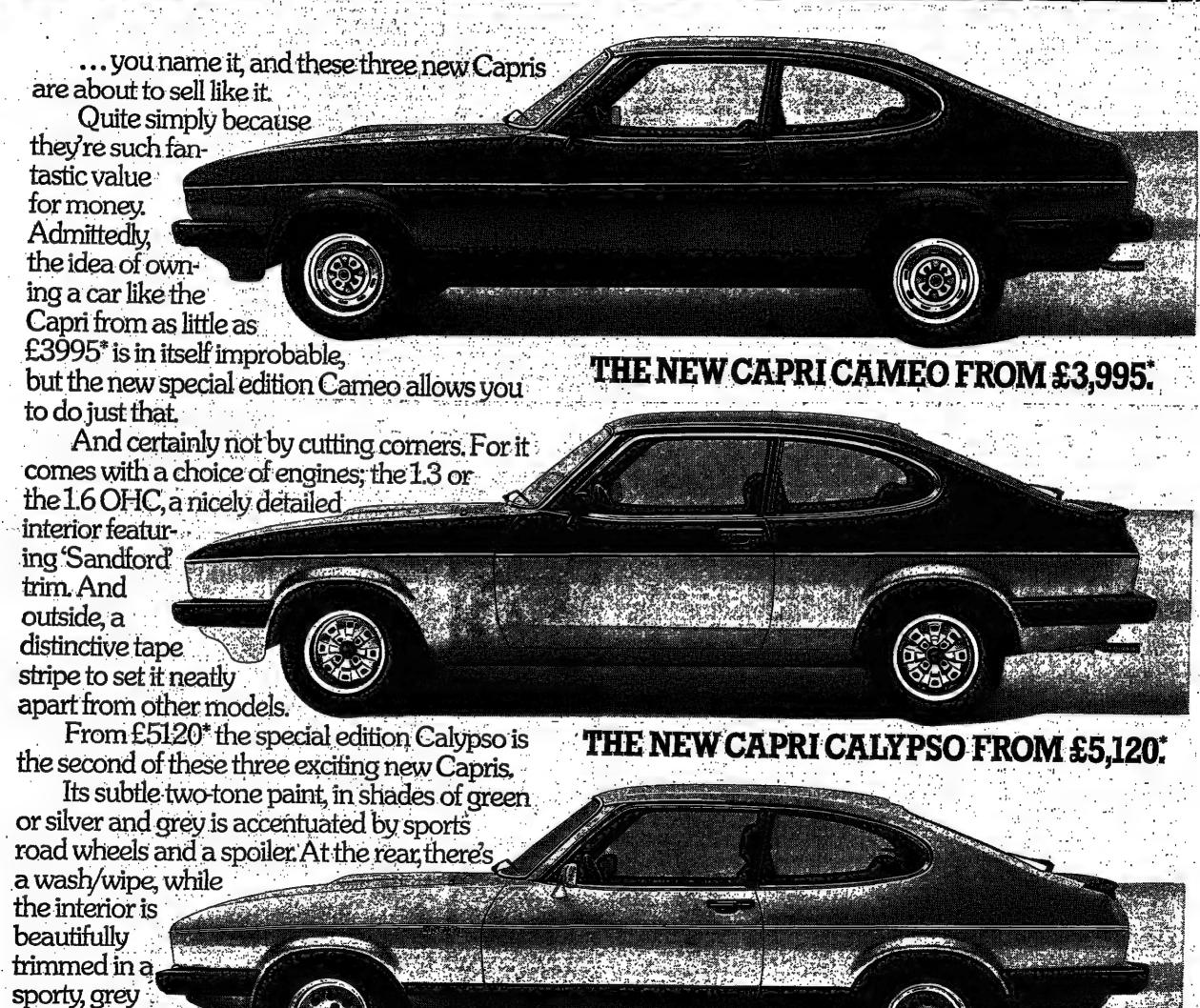
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When nominations close today we shall know whether Mr Anthony Keane, a Manchester barrister with a grievance concerning the Social Democratic Party's alleged breach of the copy-right of the title, makes good his reported threat to change his name by deed poll to "Roy Jenkins" and stand as a Social Democrat in this-

by-election. If he does so, interesting aesthetic and philosophical issues will intrude into the campaign. How will it affect, the real Roy Jenkins? Furthermore, can the real Roy Jenkins—the grand, stupendously distinguished and largely incomprehen-sible magnifico from another world who has been introducing himself with a courtly bow of his smooth, shiny head to incredulous passers-by in this town all week—in any sense be regarded as real? Will both candidates be real? Will both be make-believe? Here is a theme worthy of the great Pirandello. Nearly all of his plays, it may be remembered, about whether we are who we seem to be and, indeed, whether we are

one knows, who is Ruth? Where the hell is Mabel? To return to the Warrington by-election. The surprising news per-haps after this first week of campaigning, is that the people rather like Mr Jenkins. That does not mean a majority will vote him in. The one opinion poll so far strongly suggests that they will not Rather, it means. that he is seen as a figure above and outside politics, like the Queen. Certainly, he

who we are pretending to be. What is truth?, they ask. What is fable? And, for all

is seen as a less contentious and "political" figure than, say, the Duke of Edinburgh. How else can folk explain the extraordinary Jenkins carry on? That incomparable voice, beside which Sir John



Mr Jenkins spreads the Social Democrat message in a Warrington brewery

trade! That distinction of manner! People may not know precisely for what he is distinguished, but it must

be for something "Roy Jenkins, a miner's son ..." began one of the campaign leaflets. True, certainly; but only in the way that it is true to describe Mrs Jacqueline Onassis as the widow of a Greek merchant seaman, ...It simply does not do justice to Mr Jenkins' position in café

Nor was it really necessary for the leaflet to brandish Mr Jenkins's sole proletarian credential. Those who wrote it must have assumed the Warringtonians to be inverted snobs. This seems not to be so. They like an aristo. They see characters like Mr Jenkins engaged in idle, brittle chatter with groups of bejewelled bosoms, in the salon scenes of series like Edward VII. He's the one to whom some heaving duchess exclaims: "You're so clever, Lord Melbourne."

Sadly for Mr Jenkins, he is

### Frank Johnson

engaged in Warrington in say, his activities in the cause politics. And politics is something which the people asso. It is to do with his activities ciate with less graceful figures such as the Labour candidate. He goes under the blunt, utilitarian sounding name of "Doug" Hoyle. He is short, grey-black-haired, has a small moustache and is somehow both round and compact, so that he Alexander Done, of Dicken-resembles, as Alice Roosevelt son Street, after he had been Longworth said of the hapapproached by Mr Jenkins less Governor Dewey, "the man on the top of the wed-ding cake." One suspects in the shopping centre.

that, to the people of War-rington, Mr Jenkins is some sort of ideal vision. Mr Hoyle is your husband, or yourself. and you vote for reality.

Mr Jenkins has turned out
to be much more famous among the people than many of us thought. It is because

of European monetary union. in the cause of European money. He is thought to possess an enormous amount of it which, relatively speaking, is correct. But the local artitude to this is not what might be expected. "What did you think of him", I asked Mr

A gentleman, and educated he replied. Why educated? "Well, the Was Mr Done in favour of the Common Market ? "No,

detest it." What was this about Mr. Jenkins and the Market, then? "Well, he got paid a lot of money by it, didn't he?" body's got to get what they can, haven't they?

Mr Done was not untypical. I rather warmed to this: non-moralistic, rollicking, eighteenth-century attitude towards these matters, although I doubt if Mr Done's was the line of

backbencher, the late Charles Curran, who used to say that the British working say that the British working class did not object to vast says he is concerned about, wealth provided it was of a random or windfall nature. What they couldn't stand were people who had worked ton and hardly any immigration it. Mr Jenkins' fabled grants. Still, Mr Sorrell scems content. Perhaps that is being in the same category as those of pools winners or of the Aga Khan or of Lady Deckers in the 1950s. as being in the same category as those of pools winners or of the Aga Khan or of Lady Docker in the 1950s.

Here is a theme on which the SDP must build if they of are to have any chance of winning here. They must of the European Community. Did Mr Done disapprove of convince the voters that Mr This has nothing to do with, that, then? "No, every- Jenkins is not too good to be Jenkins is not too good to be Times Newspapers Ltd, 1981

card-with even a touch of the rascal about him. Look at all that swag he got paid in Europe. I have long seen him in

that way myself, believing that over the years he has been rather spoilt by the quality press. He has been depicted as the courageous liberal, a man more honest than other politicians.

There is rarely much courage required to be liberal, outside places like the Soviet Union, South Africa or Hain. That is not to say it is wrong to be liberal, just that it is not courageous. In the Labour Party, Mr Jenkins was often a consummate politician. At the despatch box, he was invariably superbbut to be superb at the despatch box requires a con-siderable measure of lowminded demagoguery designed to impress selected people. This is true of Mr Enoch Powell, seeking to impress the masses on immigration, but also of Mr Jenkins, seeking to impress polite society, on race relations.

Meanwhile Mr Jenkins challenges Mr Hoyle to say who he is for: Mr Benn or Mr Healey. Mr Hoyle replies that he and the people of Warrington are interested would prefer. It all goes to confirm a challenges Mr Jenkins to say theory of the crusty Tory who he thinks should be challenged.

Mr Sorrell, the Londoner who is the Tory candidate, that a vote for Mr Hoyle is a vote for Mr Benn. Mr Hoyle says he is not going to indulge in personalities, especially with a traitor like Mr Rodgers.

# Lonrho: verdict on a takeover

of its ownership crisis, lost his error in giving premature most of its print run on Sat- consent to the Commission's urday night because of a dis- recommendation before any pute in the machine room. discussion of the safeguards We reprint yesterday's main on which that recommenda. editorial by The Observer's tion is uncertainly based We editor, Mr Donald Trelford. warned of this danger last

an official report into the affairs of one's own newspaper. So first let us consider some outside opinions about the Monopolies Commission's attached to it, then . . . The report on the sale of The conclusion seems inescap.

Observer to Lonrho which able: yet Mr Biffen has was given conditional assent already given consent. last week by the Secretary.
for Trade, Mr John Biffen.
"Muddleheaded and potentially dangerous" was the
verdict of The Guardian:

"It is difficult, in all honesty, to consume this of a report without resort to hollow laughter." The Financial Times wrote: "The Monopolies Commission has wrapped itself into a series of self-tightening knots over the issue of Mr Rowland's. suitability to be the proprietor of a national newspaper. In doing so, it has recommended conditions should attach to the merger which in our view represent a potentially damaging attack on press freedom."

The Times recognized the risk of "a potential conflict of interest" with Lourho's commercial activities which had led the Commission to conclude: "Having weighed all the considerations, we find that the transfer in question might operate against the public interest. To safeguard the public interest, the Commission puts its unquestioning faith in a named group of 'independent' directors proposed by Lonrho." The Times, which itself has national directors, commented: "Independent directors certainly have a useful role to play, but by their very nature they are not in day-to-day touch with the running of the paper. By

serious press, then-we have seen no favourable comments at all on the report and several more damning than the ones quoted here—the safeguards are inadequate, proposed by the Commission offer less editorial freedom than Lonrho offered in their own submission, less than Mr Biffen gave to the editors of

themselves they cannot pro-

ceptable. Biffen? It hardly seems con- enough. sistent with his "minima- The ( list" approach to Government involvement to impose eight named directors on a the Fair Trading Act requires him to do in the case of newspaper mergers, by ordering unwelcome procedures on the people whose freedom he is meant to

regards as indispensable.

The Observer, at the height he has brought on himself by week. The Commission states It is difficult, perhaps impossible, to be objective about mend that consent to the proposed transfer be NOT given UNLESS the following conditions are attached to it." If the conditions are nor

The real blame for this situation does not he with Mr Biffen, however. Nor even with Lonrho, who can hardly be blamed for wanting to own The Observer and accepting it when offered It bland and pompous pudding lies first with Mr Robert O. Anderson's decision to dis-pose of The Observer without proper concern for its future or any reference to the people who entrusted it to him. This created the atmos-phere of distrust, alarm and hostility in which the debate has since been conducted Blame lies also with the unsatisfactory nature of the Commission Monopolies procedures for handling newspaper mergers, which involve more subtle and sen sitive issues than the Fair Trading Act was designed

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Most blame, however, lies with the Commission itself, which has produced a shoddy report. Its conclusions, as The Guardian pointed out, do not flow from the evidence. It contains no serious analysis of the central issues involved. It dodges all the awkward questions. It takes all the easy options. It lacks intellectual rigour or a convincing urge for the truth. It allows obvious inconsistencies to go unchecked. It rests its final conclusion on a concept of independent directors which has never been tested or even dis cussed. It is as though it had made up its mind in advance vide an adequate safe and wriggled uncertainly to guard." its destination past mine By common consent of the fields of inconvenient fact

Even worse, however it claims a faulty and dangerous knowledge of how newspapers ought to work. This amounts broadly, to an implicit belief that newsand potentially dangerous, papers are too important to We agree. In fact, we go fur be left to Editors and ther. The so-called safeguards journalists. They should be journalists. They should be controlled by people of character and standing,"

presence and influence." peoplé like ... well, like the Monopolies Commission The Times and The Sunday itself. So it emerges with a Times and less than the magic rabbit : people like us Editor of The Observer a quango of independent currently enjoys. They are directors, culled from the illiberal, unworkable, unac- great and the good, who are patently not independent at Are they acceptable to Mr all, nor great and good

The Observer's Editor and journalists cannot settle for such a specious solution. There is another group of private company. Or to pro- people to convince: the tect editorial freedom, which readers, on whom the newspaper's future depends even more. They need to be reassured that The Observer's integrity will be respected and maintained, that they will continue to read the and women. They should not be reassured by what is proposed so far. There must be



# Scargill's battle plan

The miners are drawing up a pay claim for an extra 25 per cent—giving a minimum of £100 a week—that will jeopar-dize the Government's policy of halving wage settlements right at the start of the winter-wage.

The hard-line left-wingers in the National Union of Mine-workers are confident of winning a motion down for debate at the union's policy conference, opening here today. This would instruct the national executive to recall delegates, if their pay demand is not met, to consider industrial action. This year the miners will be

among the first in the pay queue as a result of their successful campaign to return to their pre-1972 anniversary date of November 1. After two successive 10-month wage deals, they have moved from the tail end of the bargaining season to their traditional place at the

Consequently they are more likely to influence pay bargain-ing elsewhere, particularly in the public sector

Mr Joe Gormley, in his last year as president, would prefer not to be burdened with a large, specific cash claim. The £100 a week target is already union policy, and he is un-happy about threatening happy about "threatening people with what will happen if we don't set when we don't get what we want". However, Mr Arthur Scargill, the Yorkshire miners' leader and standard bearer of the left, made clear yesterday he will stand on a platform of high wage demands backed by militancy.

Mr Scargill is already behav-ing like a king in waiting, and if the miners do not elect him national leader in the coming secret pithead ballot, it will be the electoral upset of the



Mr Scargill : like a king in waiting

decade. At present the Scargill camp reckons on a 20,000 majority over his moderate rival, Mr Trevor Bell, secretary of the white collar colliery officials union

Mr Bell is likely to run on a "quiet life" ticket, arguing that a Scargill presidency would drag the miners into needless industrial strife, risking jobs and pits in pursuit of ideological aims. His gospel may appeal to many more miners than expected. Their pay has gone up substantially since the big strikes of the early Seventies and they have a stake in continuous production because earnings are supplemented by output bonuses. There is constant speculation that Mr Scargill will move to the right, or at least be such a prisoner of the executive, in which moderates have a 14-11 majority, that he could not carry out his policies. He has said of this possibility: "If the price of winning the presidency is to compromise my views or prostitute my princi-

ples, I don't want the job."

If he is elected he has a

strategy to get round the executive. He told The Times:

"My mandate would be from the rank and file. The members would be giving me the power to preside over the union, not just be chairman of the executive. I would rule that there could be no discussion to right or years are consion to violate or vary any conference decision without going back to a special conference." This, Mr Scargill argues, is Benn-style accountability. The conference, the NUM's supreme

policy-making authority, is almost evenly divided between left-wing and moderate coal-fields. But when the militants have won a conference deci sion, for instance on pay, the executive has ignored it and gone directly to the members with a plebiscite.

Mr Scargill's attempt to change the rules so that prorepresentation. brought into national executive voting is not expected to obtain the required two-thirds majority, and his attempt to swing the NUM's 244,000 block vote behind Mr Bean for the Labour Party deputy leadership also faces the property of the state of the also faces uncertain prospects.

By striking over threatened pit closures in February, the miners have already inflicted one defeat on Mrs Thatcher's

This victory has whetted the appetite of the NUM militants, who now want to lead a general revival of confidence among trade unionists in the tactics of direct action. The NUM's policy decisions therefore take on an even greater significance than usual, and so far the moderates show few signs of being able to deliver after Mr Gormley— "the old fox "—retires in less than a year's time.

Paul Routledge

# Justice of appeal

Two Australian scientists have been putting the decisions of Test match umpires through the computer. Their analysis of nearly 1,000 Test scoresheets shows that in most cricketing countries, especially India and Pakistan, visiting batsmen get a raw deal, or seem to.

The figures, published in the current issue of New Scientist, suggest that New Zealand provides the safest creases for a visiting batsman. Everywhere else fewer home batsmen than visitors are given out leg before. Should the average of the

past 103 years hold good, 13.1 per cent of the wickets which Australia lose this summer will fall to low decisions against 8.6 per cent of England's. In, Australia, the figures would be England 8.5 per cent and Australia 7.2 per cent. In India next winter 18.13 per cent of England's wickets will fall to Law 36 ("The striker shall be out low if he first intercepts with any part of his person...") Australia lose this summer will any part of his person . against 9.58 per cent of India's.

"I can well believe it ", I hear the batsmen saying. There never was a losing touring side that was satisfied with the home umpiring. Even in New Zealand recently the West Indies blamed it, openly, for their defeat; when Pakistan were last in India they said they were cheated. England teams that lose in Australia are known as the "whingeing Poms". Yet in the 300 or so Test matches that I have reported I have seldom doubted an umpire's integrity. To anyone whose suspicions have been aroused in, for example, the West Indies, I always cite the closing overs of

with the greater importance attached to winning and the enormously increased value of

the prizes at stake,

Gone are the days when cricketers walked when they thought they were out. Instead, unbridled appealing, supported, as in Sydney by a packed and excited crowd, can be used as a way of breaking an umpire's resistance. In circumstances such as these it needs a strong nerva not to be carried average twice an over for Ibw as England's tail-end batsmen padded him away. Cortex Jordan ompiring in dark glasses, gave them all not out in what was as severe a test of characwas as severe at the other ter as an umpire ever faced. In Jamaica, on the other hand, it can be more than an umpire's life is worth to give out the local description.

Even in the present match at Lords two of the England side have had contrasting fortunes, one of them almost certainly being given out when he was being given out when he was not, another not out when he was. Yet as every first class cricketer who has played in England will agree, the standard of umpiring here is by far the best in the world. In every other country. I have known players believe, fatalistically, that they are involved in some sort of numbers zame: That it is purely a matter of chance whether they will be given out or not. Then there is the question of interpretation. In Australia in 1374-75 Fred Titmus must have had a dozen appeals for lbw turned down, against batsmen trying to sweep him, that might well have gone in his favour in England. In New Zealand
... which is why the researchers
found the percentages there
were low it is practically
against the law of the land to give a batsman out when he is on the front foot. One last but important aspect: the pressure which umpires are under. What has always been a fiendishly difficult job—no umpire was ever faintly infallible—has become even harder in recent years with the greater importance

Man under pressure

# Cricket Correspondent

From his home in St John's Wood, Sir Richard tells me that much binding on the Marsh arm

"I am feeling very fed up and irritable," he said. "My wife is having to act as chauffeuse, nanny, dresser, valet and cook. Being a baron is exciting but being half a

title with Garter King of Arms, but it's not easy when the places you are associated with are Greenwich, Elmam, Hampstead and Maryle bone. They tend to have been taken. I still hope to take my seat in the present session but I have to find someone willing to sponsor me, I'm because unlike some of my former colleagues from the ultra-left I don't come from a citled family."

### Riddled

One interesting anecdote from the distinguished biographier Frances Donaldson who is otherwise being

talkative man say when he falls in a vat of oil? . . . Answer: Indefati-gable. Gentit?

Royal fingers were being crossed yesterday as the Rev Ian Paisley was making up his mind whether to accept an invitation to the royal wedding Paisley, 55, who has already attacked Buckingham Palace for inviting Cardinal Basil Hume to take part in the service, was refusing to indicate whether he will accept the invite, made to him as leader of the Democratic Unionist Party at Westminster. May no couple planning their wedding guest list ever complain again.

### Royal for a year

The Hawaiian royal family, of which even William Hamilton MP would approve, made a colourful arrival in London yesterday for a five-day visit. The family, which is elected annually, will be commemorating the centenary of the visit of King David Kalakana (1836-1891) to Britain. The Queen will receive the royal

party at Buckingham Palace on Thursday when she will be pre-sented with a bracelet.

### **Ouiz** answers

1 Ayotallah Beheshti was 52.

Shields.)

crashes. A report on the Tenerife crash came out two days after three people had been killed in a crash at Nailstone, Leicestershire. 4 Hell varies in colour, but is usually seen by people as red or black, according to research published last week.

5 Barbara Barts and Sybil Sheridan 6 Atomic clocks were put forward one second to bring "natural time" in line for the benefit of physicists.

The Romans in Britain. Mary Whitehouse and others want one scene—30 seconds in a three bout

play—excised. & Howard Brenton, the author of The Romans in Britain, had another play, 13th Night, open at the Ware-house Theatre.

9 The current Dalai Lama is the 14th 10 Women, who have been allowed in at the Reform, but are still not

served at El Vino's unless accom-panied by a male.

11 Dr Garret FitzGerald, new Prime Minister of Ireland.

12 " Harvest Festival" was the name given to a particular operation at Majdanek, the concentration camp.

It came up at the trial of some of the guards at the trial of some of the guards at the camp in Germany last week. Thousands of Jews were killed during "Harvest Festival". 13 Lady Diana will not promise to obey Prince Charles at their wedding

later this month. The Queen and Princess Anne both made such promises at their weddings. 14 Ir costs every person £3 a week to pay for the Civil Service.

15 W. H. Auden, whose had manners are chronicled in Humphrey Carpenter's new biography of the

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### Painters on the rights bandwagon

Claude Picasso, the 34-year-old illegitimate son of the great painter, will tomorrow inaugurate a new society with the fanciful aim of protecting the rights of visual The Visual Artists Rights Society,

which will be launched at the Royal Society of British Sculptors, is the brainchild of John Alexander-Sinclair, the former diplomat and veteran human rights fighter. His experience as vice chairman

of the Anti-Slavery Society should prove to be useful, for Alexander-Sinclair intends to emancipate impoverished British painters and sculptors by ensuring they take a cur of the profits whenever original initial sale. He also wants to ensure that artists secure royalties whenever their works are reproduced

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There is at present no central agency available to monitor publications and ensure payment. And as far as royalty rights are concerned Britain is one of only two European countries (Holland is the other) which does not enshrine in law an artist's right to a percentage of the profits on the resale.

Alexander-Sinclair, 75, told me

yesterday: "Dealers are literally living off the artists. Artists are the impoverished lot they have Why should authors get royalties, and musicians and composers ret performing rights while visual

artists get nothing at all? It seems to me a gross injustice."

Idealistically, the new society hopes to persuade purchasers of works of art to sign a contract agreeing to notify it when they decide to sell and to pay a percentage of the profits to the artist centage of the profits to the artist. Alexander-Sinclair says only minor legislation is needed to pro-

tect the artist and a short amount of computer time to ensure it is implemented. The society has been modelled on the Societé Pour la Protection des Arts Dessins et Modèles in France, chaired by Claude Picasso, which is lending it £10,000 to help

### it off the ground. Man of letters

Private Eye and Spectator columnist Auberon Waugh has suffered an un-expected indignity in the United States. For some months Atlantic, the monthly magazine for intellec-tuals which is published in Boston, has been looking for an English journalist to write a regular "Letter from London". First choice was William Shawcross, author of Sideshow in America a best-selling book of the Cambodian war critique of the Kissinger-Nixon bombing policy. But then late last year Shawcross wrote a vitriolic review of Kissinger's book, White House Years in Harper's another American monthly. This, the Atlantic people felt, was well over the top. So they turned to Waugh, son of the late novelist. Unfortunately, Waugh's first " Letter ", just delivered, is considered so boring and lightweight that his offering will not appear. The editor

# THE TIMES DIARY

That prolific fibm director | producer Michael Winner re-

turned home yester-day looking forward to some good old fashioned British bad weather after a five-. month spell in the California sunshine where he has been filming The 19m sequel comes a surpris-

ing seven years after the original Deachwish which starred Charles Bronson in a vigilante role avenging the death of his wife and the rape of his daughter by executing muggers by the score.
In the follow-up Bronson and the action have moved from New York to Los Angeles sin-city USA'. (Film bulls who recall Bronson as

and the publisher are again there-fore on the lookout for a British

writer. I understand that the next

approach will be made to Alan

Sir Richard Marsh, the former

Labour Cabiner Minister, tells me

he expects to sit on the cross-benches in the Lords (besides his

father-in-law, Rolls-Royce chairman

Lord McFadzean of Kelvinside) now

Coreu, editor of Punch.

Marsh-bound

Unlike the three earlier versions Paul Kersey, the hero of Middle America, starting afresh in Chicago at the ambiguous close of the first

parties.

which all featured big name stars
—variously Dauglas Fairbanks fr and Caro Grant, Stewart Granger and David Niven, and Frank Sinatra and Dean Martin, it is intended to cast the new film from young relative unknowns.

version may be interested to know that Los Angeles was chosen for its authenticity—it has the highest rate of street crime in the United

In fact musgings, Winner tells me, have now replaced box office takings as the main topic of conversation at Beverly Hills dinner

After editing Weathwish 2, Winner

who does not appear to believe in

leisure, intends to start preparatory

work on his next project—a remake

of the Gunga Din-story which is to be shot entirely on location in

a Thatcherite a while ago, he feels that as chairman of the Newspaper Publishers' Association neutrality is demanded. Sir Richard saw Garter King of Arms last week about the wile he will take but a mishap he suffered while on holiday with his wife Felicity in Crete recently could mean a delay until the autumn before he takes his seat.

he has been made a life peer.

Despite the "blinding flash of inspiration" which turned him into

Returning on foot to his vills after an evening meal, Sir Richard was forced off the road by a passing car and fell eight feet over the edge of a cliff. Lady Marsh landed on top of him, leaving the former British Rail chairman with his arm frac-Rail chairman with tured in four places.

the prizes at stake,

a strong nerve not to be carried

John Woodcock

makes ir difficult to scratch his

baron is a distinct let-down. "I have discussed one possible

distinctly cagy about the contents of her official biography of P. C. Wodehouse which has just been completed. Apparently during the course of a conversation with P. G. lamenting the fact that they both tended to remember inconsequentia and forget important things he said

by way of example that he had never been able to forget the following riddle: What does the

### Orange blossom?

2 Oregon. (It's the next mass run, after New York, London and South

3 Both places were where Danair had

Michael Horsnell

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### VIOLENCE ON ENGLAND'S STREETS

Brixton. There is a great danger in lumping together icidents under the label "rac riots" which have little in compon but the obvious presence o blacks and Asians among the violent participants. The tificial manufacture of a "rae problem" in England can benefit only the bullies, the extenists and the mischievous wh make political capital out of coorder.
Mr Powell's remark you've seen nothing yet" was deplorable, and may well has been adopted by racists and holigans not as a prediction but as an

injunction to help it comprise. At the same time, the fact must not be shirked that within a few months there has been three major eruptions of street fighting, all of which have included an ethnic element, and in all of which a large umber of policemen — though few participants — have ben in-jured. There have also een a number of other inciders and attacks, some causing leath, with a racial component. Southall, where reations between residents of different

races are generally ancable, has been the scene of mass violence only twice. Or both occasions the immediat and direct cause of the disturances was deliberately proveative

Southall is not Toxteth Nor is it.

Brixton. There is a grea danger in lumping together icidents under the label "rac riots" the suburb set off the events which have little in compon but the obvious presented of the christian presented in the death of the obvious presented in Blair Peach (though outsiders from the political left cannot escape some guilt for the violence). Last Friday the in-vaders were skinheads from London's East End, an area where gratuitous and racially motivated attacks by young whites on Asian residents are common, as is the hooliganism associated with football matches.

> It is understandable that the local Asians reacted, and over-reacted, though no amount of appreciation of their feelings can excuse the vicious attacks on the police. The police were not originally the direct target, although, as is becoming depressingly frequent they became so as the riot gained momentum and they were the ones to suffer most of the injuries. (Incidentally, once again the ubiquitous milk bottle was much in evidence, both as a receptacle for the Molotov cocktail, and as a fighting implement in its own. right, with or without its top smashed off. For that reason, if for no other, the increasing use of cartons for milk is to be

Community leaders, as well as cities.

the Chairman of the Com-mission for Racial Equality, have called for a strengthening of the Public Order Act. The law on incitement to racial hatred could be amended so as to catch could be amended so as to catch more easily the distribution of racialist leaflets and publications at football grounds, discotheques, and other public events. But some would like the creation of a power to ban the conveyance of potential trouble makers to their destination—the coach trip, in the context of Soutball—or even the event to Southall — or even the event to which they are travelling. That would be a totally unacceptable infringement of civil liberties

The disturbances at Toxteth, on the face of it, bear more on the race of it, pear more resemblance to those in Brixton. The police were the direct objects of the violence, allegations have been made about their policing methods, the community has been extremely hard hit by unemployment and there is considerable inner-city social denvivation. The parallels social deprivation. The parallels should not be taken too far. There is not enough information yet on which to make a judgment on the troubles in Toxteth. It is becoming unhap-pily evident, however, that the results of the Scarman enquiry will be relevant to other de-prived areas of England's big

### SWEEPING UP AFTER MAO

Mr Hu Yaobang, the new chairman of the Chines Communist Party, is not to be envied. He takes over a disoriented and divided pary and an economy which is strabling awkwardly on the rad to modernization. Moreover he himself is not well knwn in China and therefore lacks immediate personal authority. However, he fits the neds of the moment in so far ashe is a pragmatist whose carer has been closely linked withthat of Mr Deng Xiaoping, th main driving force behind the turn away from Maoism. And the very fact that he is no much known can be turned toadvantage. China is not looking for another great leader. It is still struggling out from uner the spell of Chairman Ma and trying to explain how it got

In order to save sometime of its own reputation and awid the sort of shock which Mr Karushchev inflicted on Soviet dmmunists by his total denumiation of Stalin, the Chinese party insists that it still revers Mao as a great revolutionary who led the party to power. Hower, it now admits that the darkyears of the so-called Cultural Revol-ution, when Mao harnessed the best of youthful idealism to the most vicious obscurantisa in a rampage against education, culture and material progres, was a disaster. "It did not a fact constitute a revolution of social

progress in any sense", says the new party document. At least 400,000 people are believed to have been killed, and many more imprisoned, tortured and persecuted. The economy and the educational system were laid waste. The damage in terms of lost skills, lost education, lost investments and general demo-ralization will take many years to repair.

So will the damage to the party. It has now had to admit that the man it raised high and practically deified started to go wrong with the disastrous "great leap forward" of 1958. In other words, he was wrong for the last eighteen years of his life. Not unnaturally people who were taught through all those years to worship his every thought now ask awkward questions about the system and its leaders. When free speech flourished briefly in the winter of 1978-79 demands for democracy and human rights came welling up as they might in any other country. Recently a university election went off the rails when a non-party candidate was elected, who then had to be hurriedly sidelined. Even with its new pragmatism the regime has not thought it safe to loosen controls too much. ...

There are other reasons for being careful. Many of the people promoted during the Cultural Revolution for their

ideological fervour, rather than for any other skills, are still in positions of responsibility. To attack Mao is to attack them. The army is particularly protec-tive of Mao's reputation because it did well under him. Parts of it are now disgruntled not only by the political line but by defence cuts too. This helps to explain the cautious compromises in the new party document.

The most hopeful sign is that the party shows some evidence of being aware that the problem is not primarily one of person-alities but of structures. It admits the need for institutionalized democracy within the party and better guarantees of legality to prevent the rise of another tyrant or simply the dictatorship of a corrupt and isolated bureaucracy. This is also the lesson proclaimed since the 1960's by communist reformers in eastern Europe, but always in vain, except now in Poland, where the experiment has another chance. Will China do better in trying to cure one of the basic defects of the communist system? It is a huge and difficult country in which to experiment with checks and balances, but at least it does not have the Soviet influence to contend with and it now has a leadership dedicated, with some reservations, to the principal that what works is right — even if ideology has to be adjusted to fit: It is, at least, a hopeful beginning.

Mrs Thatcher will also be able

to give a clear explanation of the prevalent philosophy of her

### A GREEN AND PLEASANT FOOD FACTORY

When Conservative minsters make speeches to farmer they always praise the enterpris and efficiency of British agriculture. They often add that if the rest of industry had yielded thesame results, the national ecolomy would be much healthier tlan it is. Farmers will expect nore than those routine blankish-ments when Mrs Marjaret Thatcher makes the oping speech at the Royal Showthis morning. They will recall that the last Prime Minister to occupy to the same rostrumwas Mr Harold Wilson, whose eloquent appeal in 1975 for more home-produced food vas not matched by his Govern-

ent's subsequent policies. Mrs Thatcher has the adantage of leading what is effectively the farmers' party. At least a third of her Cabinet own country estates and one of her minister is a brother of the president of the National Farmers' Union. She also be welcomed as the leader of a party which does not want to nationalize farmland, impose rates on it or levy a wealth

David Wood

**How Labour** 

policy serves

Soviet ends

It begins to be not merely a salutary but also a necessary political exercise to measure the extent to which the Labour Party's foreign and defence policies, as developed in opposition since 1979, neatly conform to the grand European strategy in which Soviet diplomatists and staff officers and any other Soviet officials whose business it is to think the unthinkable are schooled.

Strategic hypotheses for Strategic hypotheses for the Russians must, as usual, include military, political and economic factors. Above all they must include the persistent weakening of western

decisions, and the interdiction of

territory and bases in Europe to the

Americans. They are bound to

include the outflanking of Europe in

Europe and Nato by

Her speech today will give the Prime Minister an opportunity to allay some of the apprehensions of farmers about the policies of her Government. She will be able at the same time to make a precise statement about certain broad and sensitive rural questions which are significant

for the urban majority. The first concerns state aid. Agriculture remains a heavily-subsidized industry, and the corps of more than 10,000 field advisers and other experts employed by the Ministry of Agriculture has suffered only token cuts in the past two years. The Government has yet to explain why it has made agricul-ture a special case while allowing a long succession of factory closures, liquidations and job losses in the equally important food processing industry. Ministers have often lectured the electorate about the benefits of self-help and a lack of state intervention. They have yet to explain why a party which espouses such principles has bandoned them in the case of griculture.

party towards the countryside, and the competing claims of food production, recreation, and conservation. The Wildlife and Countryside Bill, and the quiet satisfaction with which it has been received by rural lobbies, give important clues. Yet in its two years of office the Government has not given a precise and coherent statement about how it proposes to achieve the elusive and awkward balance between these competing claims. The divergence of approach between the Ministry of Agriculture and the Department of the Environ-ment remains acute. Public statements by ministers have concentrated more on the value of farmers as providers of food. Yet they have just as important a responsibility as owners of more than half of the entire surface of the United Kingdom while they account for less than three per cent of it population. They are thus trustees of the land, as well as its tillers

appallel Mr Foot declared himself an briginal member of the Campaign for Nuclear Disarmament, and showed that his ministerial service in a government that sustained Poluris submarines has left his convictions unchanged. He said he would disarm the United Kingdom of hudear weapons, and foundy hoped hat thereby a Labour government would shame powers great and meir would shame powers great and small to follow suit. He did not accipt Nye Bevan's dictum that nuclear disarmament would send Briair naked into the council chamber.

Unfortunately Mr Foot was not pressed to explain precisely what the consequences would be for Nati, and for American nuclear depoyment in Britain. Yet nobody deployment in Britain. Yet nobody rould mistake where his logic fethed up. If Britain sought safety for itself by a policy of nuclear netrality or impotence, then what seese would there be in allowing American nuclear weapons on British soil or in British waters? Wiere then would Nato's nuclear

the West, by sea or land, or preferably both, and the United Kingdom, geographically and geopolitically, is that western flank. Clearly there cannot be a political There is no need to eat up space driving home strategic platitudes before examining Mr Michael Foot's arguments about unilateral nuclear

internal

disarmament when he spoke a few days ato on BBC radio. In point of broadcisting style Mr Foot was at his best as most front bench politicines are in the mannerly hands of Mr Young.

If the manner soothed the matter appallel Mr Foot declared himself an brigmal member of the Campaign

counter-threat go in western Europe? And how could the United Engdom remain a cardholding number of Nato?

military strategist in Soviet lussia who does not pray (if that is ne apt word) for Mr Foot and a abour government to come to ower. At a stroke, if Mr Foot and

his party conferences have their way, the United Kingdom would be be outflanked, and the American nuclear shield would be removed. Nor does Mr Foot, who has never worn uniform and has no reputation for military studies, explain why he thinks modern conventional warfare, in all but emotional respects, so much more tolerable by the British people than nuclear warfare. Labour of course, does not stop at a policy for the neutralizing of the United Kingdom as an integral part of the defence of western Europe are of the defence of western Europe at to withdrawal from the European Community, although we should note in fairness that Mr Foot on this

note in fairness that Mr Foot on this subject, as on northern Ireland, shies away from the left-wing threat of almost instant withdrawal.

The Community, still shallowly rooted, would scarcely survive United Kingdom withdrawal, or at least would not develop, and its present tendency to increasing nationalism would be reinforced. And the United Kingdom? Its search for substitute markets would take it. for substitute markets would take it, as it would be consciously hired, towards trading deals with the eastern bloc, and the United Kingdom economy would soon become a Warsaw Pact satellite.

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The Conservative party which
took us into the EEC in 1973 has
little choice except to stand firm, as
an excellent booklet published today Anglo-Danish members of the by Anglo-Danish memora or the European Democratic Group in the European Parliament puts beyond Here to Stay: Britain's role in the

European Community.
Conservative Central Office.

on lending

Bank policies

From the Secretary General of the Committee of London Clearing Banks

Banks

Sir, Your report on July 2 that a Conservative study group has been set up "to assemble evidence for an attack on the lending policies of British banks" makes familiar reading. Once again a case against the banks is apparently to be based on the alleged superiority of other countries' financial systems.

International comparisons were the foundation on which the Labour Party constructed their case for bank nationalization and in the past they have been a prominent feature

they have been a prominent feature of much criticism of the banks, Yet all too rarely did the critics take proper account of the historical, institutional and other factors when comparing different national sys-tems. For instance, much of the sort of finance provided to industry by banks abroad is made available here either on the capital market or directly from central government. Simply to compare bank lending as a proportion of gross national product in different countries is to overlook these and other vital national differences — not least of which is the state, of the industry's own demand for funds.

demand for funds,

Coming closer to home, the study group is reportedly keen to investigate ways the Government can promote extended term lending by the banks. I hope they are not maware that nearly half clearing banks lending to industry is already on a term basis and that all the banks now offer their small business customers special terms lending facilities, in some cases of up to 20 years.

up to 20 years.

Apparently the study group's work will extend to medium-sized as well as small firms. In the case of small firms, the banks have recognized gaps in their range of facilities. nized gaps in their range of facilities and have taken steps to fill them in recent years. But in the case of larger firms, I would draw attention to the work of the Wilson committee, whose survey of the investment attitudes and financing of medium-sized companies "could find not a single individual example of an investment project which had not gone shead because of the inability to issue external finance, or conditions or covenants laid down by potential lenders or any other direct constraints of this nature".

nature".

The banks have no objection to criticisms of their role, and are offering assistance to the latest study group, as they have to others who have researched this area in the recent past. Yours faithfully,

LESLIE PRIESTLEY, Secretary General,
The Committee of London Clearing Banks, 10 Lombard Street, EC3

Church treasures From the Canon Precentor

Sir, The only real alternative to what Canon Sharpe (June 27) finds objectionable about "dead" parochial plate lying in cathedral treasuries is for it to be returned to the bank vanits where it will go on

being neither used nor seen.

Here at Hereford we established a Here at Hereford we established a treasury in the crypt displaying both our own and parochial plate. Our own remains, but the parochial plate is regularly changed. The parishes are entirely free in the first instance either to lend or not. They are equally free on its return after exposure here for a time either to use it, or hide it again. I suspect in most cases it goes straight back into the vaults for the reason Canon Sharpe states. Sharpe states.

Had I been a former parishioner of St. John Baptist, Coley, I think, given the choice, I should have preferred my benefaction to be seen if not used rather than to remain both dead and buried awaiting a Last

There is one further point. If There is one further point. If retained and used it is seen really only by communicants. Here it is admired by a great international throng, many of them not even thurch goers. Can one not allow these to be susceptible also to its beauty and, who knows, drawn to ask questions about those who created it and the purpose behind it? Yours faithfully. Yours faithfully, ALLAN SHAW. The Canon's House,

June 27.

Useless wealth

From the Reverend J. D. Johns Sir, I heartily agree with the letter on useless wealth in parish charities (July 2). In my three parishes I have four trivial such charities. Only once in 11 years have I been able to use them for the purpose for which once in it years may be been ame in alone I can use them — namely, f15 for school uniform to a young

widow.

The capital lies idle with the commissioners. The interest lies in the local bank, benefiting no one but

Yours, etc., J. D. JOHNS. Great Wymondley Vicarage, Hitchin, Herfordshire. July 2.

Diploma disease

From the First Civil Service Commissioner.

Sir, In his letter of July 2 Mr Dore refers correctly to the increasing proportion of graduates among those recruited to executive posts in the Civil Service. However, this is not a result of raising the qualifications that are required. These have not changed since 1956 and consist of two GCE masses at A. consist of two GCE passes at A-level obtained in one examination and three acceptable O-level qualifi-

Appointments are made solely on merit and on the basis of fair and open competition. If graduates choose to enter the competitions, and if a greater proportion of them obtain higher marks in the selection procedure, as they do, the outcome described by Mr Dore is inevitable. Your faithfully, F. H. ALLEN. Civil Service Department, Civil Service Commission,

Whitehall, SW1.

July 2.

From

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Memorial to Lord Mountbatten of Burma From the Prime Minister and Others

Sir. We believe there are many people Sir, We believe there are many people in this country and overseas, and from all walks of life, who would wish to see a memorial erected to commemorate the life and work of Admiral of the Fleet the Earl Mountbatten of Burma, KG, GCB, OM, GCSI, GCIE, GCVO, DSO, who, after a lifetime of service to the British Commonwealth of Nations, was so tragically killed in 1979.

We propose that the memorial should be a statue in Naval uniform, situated on the green verge to the south of the Horse Guards Parade and looking over the Parade towards the Old Admiralty Building.

Admiral Mountbatten's achieve-

Admiral Mountbatten's achievements as a sailor, a military commander and astatesmanter now a part of the history of the twentieth century and made even more remarkable by his own determination to dedicate himself to a career in the Royal Navy at a time when title and privilege could so easily have led to a more comfortable life. His exploits as the Captain of HMS Kelly, his leadership as the Commander of leadership as the Commander of TREVELY TREVELY

tasks were perhaps even more formidable; yer few statesmen could have accomplished as much. At a time when he might have rested

At a time when he might have rested on these laurels, it was at his own wish that he returned to sea in the Royal Navy as a rear-admiral, which led to his appointment as First Sea Lord and, finally, as Chief of the Defence Staff.

We feel sure that there are many who will wish to contribute to the cost of a memorial and we ask that donations, which will be acknowledged, should be sent to: Rear-Admiral L. W. Townsend, Defence Services Secretary, Mountbatten Memorial Fund, Old Admiralty Building, London, SWI.

Any moneys which may be received

Any moneys which may be received in excess of the cost of the memorial will be passed to the Mountbatten Trust for assisting the handicapped and the United World Colleges.

Yours, etc, MARGARET THATCHER MICHAEL FOOT DAVIDSTEEL HARDING OF PETHERTON TREVELYAN S. ZUCKERMAN DERMOT BOYLE CASPAR JOHN 10 Downing Street, SW1.

### Aims and means in British defence

From Air Vice-Marshal S. W. B.

Menaul

Sir, Your correspondent, Peter Hennessy, in his excellent and perceptive article in Tuesday's issue (June 30), followed by your own pertinent leader in today's issue (July 1), rightly draws attention to one of the most costly and unnecessary defence procurement programmes in the past decade.

programmes in the past decade.

The Soviet anti-ballistic missile The 'Soyiet anti-ballistic missile defences against which the Chevaline programme was supposed to provide penetration capability was at best a political gimmick to impress the citizens of Moscow that the Politburo was doing all in its power to protect them from the devastation likely as melean ballistic likely to follow a nuclear ballistic missile attack.

The Soviet Galosh ABM system deployed around Moscow, in accordance with the terms of the 1972 ABM treaty, consisted of four complexes each of 16 launchers with associated radars and high-speed interests with a special control of the complexes and high-speed interests and associated radars and high-speed interceptor missiles. Examination of the types of radar in the Galosh system and the state of Soviet computer technology, and even the guidance systems employed in the interceptor missiles, would indicate that the efficiency of the Galosh system in shooting down ballistic missiles would probably be less than 20 per cent.

20 per cent.

Bearing in mind the number of missiles that could be aimed at Moscow by the United States, and assuming that not all 16 missiles in our one Polaris boat would be targeted on Moscow, the military case for Chevaline is extremely weak. It is true that the Soviet Union has in recent years been attempting to upgrade the Galosh system with modern phased-array radars and converting the SA-5'to a ballistic missile role. There is no evidence as yet that these pro-grammes will substantially improve the Galosh ABM defences around

The important aspect of the most recent intelligence information on Soviet activities is their massive research and development efforts inspace-based chemical lasers and charged particle beam weapons for deployment against satellites, man-ned aircraft and ballistic missiles. Against such defences, in the latter part of this decade or the first half of the next, the Chevaline pro-gramme will be useless and Trident may be obsolete before we get it in Yours faithfully.

STEWART MENAUL, The Lodge, Frensham Vale, Lower Bourne, Farnham, Surrey. July 1.

From Air Vice-Marshal J. C. T. Downey Sir, Lord Carver's letter (June 26) demonstrates the value of the military habit of stating aims before means. He points out that the prime aim of Western defence is to prevent war in Europe and, if that fails, to contain the outbreak so that the contain the outbreak so that the combatants are given some chance to withdraw from the nuclear brink. He is then able to argue persuasively that the highest military priority must be readiness where war is most likely and most dangerous, i.e., in Europe. But the letter nowhere suggests that readiness at sea is not also very ness at sea is not also very important. Britain now seems to

have reached the point where she has to choose between the two. Throughout the East-West confrontation Britain has maintained balance on land, sea and in the air only by staging a series of retreats, firstly from the Far East, then from the Near East, and finally by cutting our three armed Services and their our three armed Services and their back-up to the bone. This has been necessary despite a parallel growth in national income and despite the sharp increase in defence spending now planned.

Within the same period all our European partners except France have openly forsaken the principle of balanced forces, leaving Europe's maritime contribution largely to us. Can one doubt that the 1981 Defence Review marks more or less the same transparents.

turning point for us?

The underlying causes of this trend are twofold. Firstly, nuclear strategy, together with the range and mobility of modern weapons, have created a need for levels of readiness which are unparalleled. Defence in the past has always relied on mobilizing military reserves and industry when the need arose: today almost all forces have to be at the front and their scientific and industrial backing has to be constantly at work to keep them modern. turning point for us?

Secondly, although a prolonge confrontation is nothing new, it has never occurred, before in a climate of high technology. The result is an arms race in which the pace is ever quickening and the winning post ever receding. In such a race sooner or later one side or the other must collapse, bankrupring the grand strategy of deterrence. The danger is that in the democracies deterrence will become socially and politically insupportable sooner than in the autocracies.

There are already signs that this is happening. Unilateralists of all kinds are enjoying a revival, helped by renewed nuclear apprehension among everyone. In Britain and elsewhere in Western Europe there is a turning away from the hitherto bi-partisan approach to defence by the centre parties. All social spending, such as that for medicine, spending, such as that for medicine, education and transport, is accelerating under the same technological impetus that drives defence. But defence spending suffers from hyper-inflation and, as it takes off towards the still higher costs demanded by competition in outer space, the neutron bomb and countless other innovations, nivil and military needs will become increasingly irreconcilable. Crucial issues for the future like the North-South dialogue will be forced to the wall.

I believe that in the 1980s we are living out the last of time which was borrowed when, in the forties and early fifties, we failed to reach any real postwar political settlement and adopted instead the handy military expedient of nuclear deterrence.

Politicians should realize that in juggling national defence plans to overcome the latest defence finance crisis they are limiting their duty to the comparatively short term. What we want so see, and what they must arrange to be seen if unilateralism is arrange to be seen if unilateralism is not to take charge, are real measures aimed at real defence. These are, firstly, progress towards unified defence in Western Europe so that at least deterrence survives for a few more years. But if the public is to be persuaded to buy that, both financially and politically, we shall want to see an interest, in the longer term, towards genuine. the longer term, towards genuine arms control and genuine measures to stop proliferation. In words, we want hope.

Yours sincerely, JOHN DOWNEY, Windmill House, Windmill Field, Sussex

From Mr Cranley Onslow, MP for Woking (Conservative) would gain widespread support for his tontention that Nato's funda-mental priorities must be to prevent mental priorities must be to brevent war taking place at all, and if it does, 'that hospilities should be brought to a halt as quickly as possible without resort to nuclear. weapons.

But I remain puzzled by his contention, which he has repeated on several occasions, that Britain should continue to possess her own nuclear warbeads — with all the expense that involves in highly specialized design, development and production — without maintaining an independent strategic nuclear

Surely the whole point of nuclear independence is to convince a potential adversary that you have the ability, acting alone if necessary, to inflict an unacceptable degree of damage on him. Would the Russians really be convinced that we would be prepared to use our independent "theatre" nuclear weapons, when it would invite a massive nuclear retaliation against the United Kingdom to which we could make no response? If we really think we no response? It we really think we cannot afford to remain in the independent strategic business, then there is no logic in spending what would still be very considerable-sums just to retain a vestigial

nuclear capability. If we are to retain a strategic capability, then, as the Commons Defence Committee have recognized, Trident is the only sensible choice to succeed Polaris. As to choice to succeed Polaris. As to whether we can afford it, or whether we should spend the money, as Lord Carver infers, on strengthening BAOR and our tactical air force in Germany, I wonder which the Russians would find more daunting: more British tanks, more British Tornader. British Tornados or a British Trident system?

Continuing effective British par-ticipation in Nato's conventional forces undoubtedly strengthens our deterrent. But I suggest that the unique contribution made by our independent strategic force far integers any improvement that could be made by spending a comparable sum on our forces in Central Europe. Central Europe. I am, etc.,

CRANLEY ONSLOW. House of Commons, SW1. July 2.

From Mr Philip Francis Sir, So we are to spend £7bn on Trident, which might help us win the next war, and save £3m on the BBC external services, which might help us prevent it. Are we mad? Yours faithfully, PHILIP FRANCIS. Landens, Meath Green Lanc, Horley, Surrey. June 29.

### New future for 'The Observer'

From Mr Edward du Conn, MP for Taunton (Conservative) Sir, Mr David Astor's letter in The Times on July 4 shows him to be a Times on July 4 shows him to be a bad loser. He argued for the potential purchase of The Observer newspaper to be closely examined by the Monopolies and Mergers Commission. By any yardstick the commission is an impartial and conscientious body.

After 13 weeks' deliberation they decided by an overwhelming majority in Lonrho's favour, Mr Astor had every opportunity to put his view during that time and did. It

his view during that time and did. It was decisively rejected. The Secretary of State concurred. Mr Astor cuts a poor figure by crying "unfair" in public after these verdicts.

werdicts.

His wild allegation that Lourho's management of *The Observer* will be illiberal, or incompetent, or both, is as demonstrably silly as it is

offensive. Lonrho has a successful record of Loarho has a successful record of newspaper ownership. My fellow directors and I are proud to be the new owners of The Observer. While Mr Astor presided over the fortunes of The Observer it first needed to be rescued from financial disaster by the Atlantic Richfield company; since then, it has lost a further £8m.

The argument is enided The needed The argument is ended. The need now is for men and women of good will to work together to ensure the newspaper's prosperity.

Yours faithfully, EDWARD DU CANN, House of Commons, SW1. July 5.

Petworth paintings

From Mr Bernard Keeffe
Sir, I have just revisited Petworth
House in Sussex, one of the glories
of the National Trust, with a
magnificent collection of paintings
that includes works by Bosch,
Poussin, Claude, Le Nain, Bellotto,
Van Dyck, Reynolds, Hopper,
Fuseli, and a score of paintings by
Turner who had a special relationship with the house.

It is arguable that the junk-shop
method of hanging them from floor
to ceiling should be kept, to retain
the period mood of the house;
though it offers the visitor little
chance to see the paintings properly, and is hardly matched by some. From Mr Bernard Keeffe

erly, and is hardly matched by some of the furnishings.

But those that we can see are dark with layers of soot and grime, with brown varnish cracked and peeling;

brown varnish cracked and peeling; they are unprotected from the fingers and acid breath of thousands of visitors, and there is no control of temperature and light.

Their condition is, if anything, worse than it was five years ago, and it seems that the National Trust are unwilling or unable to do anything. It is clearly time to call in experts, say from the National Gallery, to take urgent action to restore and preserve these fine paintings, which, after all, are the property of the nation.

BERNARD KEEFFE. 135 Honor Oak Road, SE23.

Missing breakfast From Mr P. J. Wainwright

Sir, Your report this morning (June 30) describes the proposed phasing out of the Great British breakfast by British Rail and speaks of falling demand and cost-effectiveness. You go on to report that restaurant curmeals have dropped from four million to an expected 1.6 million this year. However, a fall in sales does not necessarily reflect a fall in demand: it may rather be a function of availability.

demand: it may rather be a function of availability.

On a recent journey from Oxford to Manchester I caught the 7.22 am train, which had left London at 6.20 am, and arrived in Manchester at 10.43 am. I was not offered a steaming platter, nor even limp ham and cheese: the train did not have a restaurant car and I had to resort to a nerve-wracking trip to the station. a nerve-wracking trip to the station buffet while the locomotive was changed at Birmingham. Yours sincerely. •

P. J. WAINWRIGHT, 34 Bulan Road, Headington. June 30.

Ingenious device From Miss Susan Corbett

Sir, Miles Kington's attempts (June 30) to expand the known capacity of that desirable modern convenience, the warm air hand-drier, seem to This ingenious device may not do much for his face, eyebrows or hair, but let him arrive, as I did, a pedestrian, at the Trelissick National Trust garden, near Truro, a full hour before opening time at 15 mm and in a downwarr, and when am and in a downpour, and when the public lavatories there eventu-ally open, he may well be glad (if the gentlemen's lavatory has the warm air hand-drying facility, as the ladies' does) to take off, say, his socks and hold them in a warming blast of air.

Yours faithfully, SUSAN CORBETT, Beckenham, Kent.

July 1.

Topless in 'The Times': From Mr M. O. Carruthers, FRCS

From Mr M. O. Carruthers, FRCS
Sir, Sir Robin MacLellan (June 30)
is concerned about the height of a
man's forehead, particularly those
of politicians whose photographs
are reproduced in your paper.
The apparent height of the
forehead is in large measure
determined by how far the hair-line
has receded: the real height by the
depth of the frontal lobes of the
brain which control the emotions,
plus the thickness of the bone.

plus the thickness of the bone. For many, the fewer photographs for many, the rewer photographs of politicians that are shown the better — and knowing the facts, they (the politicians) might well go along with this! But please continue to provide this service. Yours faithfully, M. O. CARRUTHERS,

Fisherman's Creek, Noss Mayo, Plymouth.



Jews worried by new radical right wing

# **COURT** AND SOCIAL

### **COURT CIRCULAR**

July 4: The Queen this afternoon attended a Picnic sponsored by the Cancer Research Campaign in Mindsor Great Park and was received by Her Majesty's Lord-Lieutenant for the Royal County of Berkshire (Colonel the Hon Gordon Palmer) and the chairman, ancer Research Campaign (the Duke of Devonshire).
Mrs John Dugdale, Mr Robert
Fellowes, Squadron Leader Adam
Wise and Flight Lieutenant John

Hamilton were in attendance. The Prince of Wales, Chancel-lor, The University of Wales, this-morning presided at a Degree Ceremony at the Welsh National School of Medicine, Cardiff. His Royal Highness, attended by Mr Francis Cornish, returned to London in an aircraft of The Queen's Flight. July 5: Mr Thomas Galbraith and Mr Donald Lipscombe had the

The Queen and the Duke of Edinburgh will visit New Zealand from October 12 to 20. Princess Anne will take the salute at the Edinburgh Military Tattoo on August 25. A service of thanksgiving for the life of Glenda Spooner, founder of the Ponies of Britain, will be held at Windsor Parish Church, High Street, Windsor, on Monday, July 27 at 2.30 p.m.

### **Forthcoming** marriages

Mr S. G. Barrow and Mrs D. M. Johnson The engagement is announced and the marriage will shortly take place between Simon, youngest son of Mr and Mrs Hugh Barrow, of Skirmett, and Diana, daughter of the late Mr Jasper Knight and of Mrs Knight, of Hambleden, Buckinghamshire,

Mr E. P. Duckworth and Mrs U. M. K. Nieberding The engagement is announced from Brussels between Peter Duckworth, of Rochdale, Lancashire, and Ursula Nieberding, of Berlin.

Flight Lieutenant A. P. Fitzsimmons, RAF and Miss M. P. Diamond

The engagement is announced between Authory, younger son of Mr and Mrs J. Fitssimmons, of Chislebrust, Kent, and Maria, daughter of Mr and Mrs M. Diamond, of Bletchley, Bucking-terminal programs of Bletchley, Bucking-terminal programs of the second pro

### **Marriages**

Mr G. Cordingley and the Hon Emma Waliop snd the Hon Emma Wallop
The marriage took place ou June
27 at St Andrewa, Farleigh
Wallop, Basingstoke, between Mr
Gerald Cordingley, son of the late
Mr T. Cordingley and Mrs Mabel
Cordingley, of Bridlington, Yorkshire, and the Hon Emma Wallop,
younger daughter of Viscount
Lymington and the late Ruth Lady
Lymington, of 11 Douro Place,
London, W8. The Rev Geoffrey
Thrace officiated.

London, W8. The Rev Geoffrey
Turner officiated.
The bride, who was given in
marriage by her father, was
attended by Liza FitzHardy and
Rachel Sladen. The Hon Quemin
Wallop was best man.
A reception was held at Broadmers House, Fariolph Wallon, and

Mr J. N. M. MacManus and the Hon Emma Soames The marriage took place on Saturday at All Saints Church, Odiham, Hampshire, between Mr

The infant son of Lieutedant-Colonel and Mrs Thomas Brem-

ridge was christened Henry

Baker by the Rev P. D. Denton in the Royal Memorial Chapel,

Sandhurst, yesterday. The god-parents are Major G. R. Broke, Mr John Ellicock, Mrs David Lowe and Miss Georgina Lee,

The infant daughter of Mr and Mrs Rodney Leach was christened Florence Elizabeth Amy in the Church of the Immaculate Conception, Farm Street, by Father John Traumar, SJ, on Thursday, July 2. The godparents are the Hon Robert Loder, Mr David Pryce-Jones, Mr Sebastian Yorke, Mrs Oliver Gates and Mrs James Teacher.

The following are some of the Lord Mayor's engagements this week:
Today: Arrends presentation of prises to top three entrants of the City Guide Course, Mansion House, 4.00.

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Lord Mayor

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honour of being received by The Queen at Windsor Castle this morning when Her Majesty decorated them with the Royal Victorian Medal (Silver). KENSINGTON PALACE July 4: The Duke and Duchess

of Gloucester were present this afternoon at the All England Lawn Tennis Club Championship Meeting at Wimbledon. YORK HOUSE.

July 4: The Duke of Kent, President of the All England Lawn Tennis Club, accompanied by The Duchess of Kent, was present this afternoon at the Champiouship Meeting at Wimbledon and presented challenge trophies to the

Miners.
Lieutenant-Commander Richard.
Buckley, RN, and Mrs Alan Henderson were in attendance. THATCHED HOUSE LODGE Princess Alexandra and the Hon Angus Ogilvy were present this afternoon at the All England Lawn Tenns Club Championship Meeting at Wimbledon.

James MacManus, eldest son of Dr and Mrs Niall MacManus, of 8 Warwick Square, London, SW1, and the Hon Emma Soames, elder daughter of Lord and Lady Soames, of Castle Mill House, North Warnborough, Hampshire, The Rev Anthony Gracie officia-

Mr D. W. Kaye
and Miss L. N. Yaumer
The marriage took place yesterday
in the Eaton Gold Room, Hove,
Sussex, between Mr David Kaye,
son of Sir Emmanuel and Lady
Kaye, of Hartley Wintney, Hampshire, and Miss Louise Yauner,
younger daughter of Dr and Mrs
Harold Yaumer, of Hove, Sussex,
Rabbi Leo Sichel and the Rev
Raphael Curler officiated.

The bride, who was given in
marriage by her father, wore a
gown of ivory, sik chiffon and
an antique well. She was attended
by Miss Julia Miller-Smith and
Mr Lowell Libson was best man.
A reception was best man.
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Eaton Restaurant, Hove, and the
honeymoon will be spent in
Bruges. ted.

The bride, who was given in marriage by her father, wore a gown of pink taffeta and a vell of white silk net held in place by a headdress of lilies-of-the-valley and stephanotis. She carried a bouquet of lilies-of-the-valley and stephanotis. Tristan Hoare, Clementine Hambro and Rose Coccoran attended her and Mr Colin Adamson was best-man. son was best man.

A reception was held at the home of the bride and the honeymoon will be spent abroad.

and the Hon Robins Cayzer

and the Hon Rebina Cayzer
The marriage took place on Saturday at St Mary's Charlbury,
Oxfordshire, between Dr Olivier
Debarge, son of the last M
Debarge and of Mme Debarge, of
8 St Phillippe du Roule, Parls,
and the Hon Robina Cayzer,
daughter of Lord Rotherwick, of
Cornbury Park, Charlbury,
Oxfordshire, and the late Lady
Rotherwick. The Rev M. J.
Chadwick officiated.

The bride, who was given in marriage by her father, was attended by Ollver and Rowena Jones, Patrick Wolff, Pacome Debarge, Georgina Bowes-Lyon and Miss Verena Cayzer. Mr Alix Chevassus was best man. A reception was held at the home of the bride and the honey-moon will be spent in the Caribbeau.

Mr J. C. Eells and the Hon Harriet E. Bridges The marriage took place on July. mers House, Farieigh Wallop, and the honeymoon is being spent in England.

4 at St Bartholomew's, Orlow, between Mr John G. Belis and the Hon Harriet Bridges.

and the Hon Harriet Bridges.

The bride, who was given in marriage by her father, was attended by Claire Brooks and Miss Sally Pringle. Mr Bevis Hillier was best man.

Emity Eells, and Sophia Buxton. Mr Edward McCaffrey was best mead Hall and the honeymoon will be spent abroad.

Appointments in the

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Staffs), July 20: M A Pearsy, MOD
with DFED as Dir of Fleet Supply
Duties, Dec. 18:
COMMANDERS: E J Brown, Staff of
CINCNAVEOME as SWO. Oct. 27:
J M Bingeman, MOD with DNW, Dec.
18: R N Clegs, staff of Port Admiral
Devanord, Nov. 27: P N Gallower,
GLAMORGAN as WEO, March 4: GC
Mortimer, PEMBROKE as Exec Off,
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Tomorrow: Visits St Mark's Hospital, City Road, EC1, 3.45.

Forces

pect of an imminent resur-gence of antisemitism in the West, the director of the Institute of Jewish Affairs, Dr Stephen Roth, has assued a warning about tendencies that can create an atmosphere conducive to antisemitism.

He mentions in pertioular the new intellectual radical

While discounting the pros-

right wing, especially in France, the activities of the "falsifiers of history" who deny the Holocaust, and the anti-Zionism of the radical left.

In a research paper for his in self-infilling prophecy and institute, Dr Roth measures create the appreciant that the appreciants about an artist. ish community about an antise popular people like to join mitic revival against the reality popular causes."

The danger, in his essessing the finds in general that ander the guise of anti-extreme right-wing successes in Zionism, could turn to anticertain elections in the Seven-senatism. There is a theoreti-ties proved short-lived. Support cal connextion between the ties proved short-lived. Support cal connextion between the for political parties such as the two mattack on the rights of the recent years, and the same Jewish nation-state is in princitrend has occurred elsewhere in ple an attack on Jews generally.

afternoon at the All England Lawn
Tenms Club Championship Meeting at Wimbledon.
Lady Mary Fitzalan-Howard was in attendance.

He draws attention to the different tone of public feeling.
He draws attention to the different tone of public feeling.

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Latest estates include (net before tax paid):
Hamlyn, Mr Ralph Ashton, of Westminster, chartered accountment for cultivating relations with the pre-war period. It is not strack on Dundee Chy Council for cultivating relations with the Palestinian Liberation groups accused of anti-semi-tic, and even right-wing groups accused of anti-semi-tic, and even right-wing of Westminster, chartered accountment fallows, for instance, in its attack on Deputies of British Jews, for instance, in its attack on Dundee Chy Council for cultivating relations with the pre-war period. It is not attack on Dundee Chy Council for cultivating relations with the palestinian Liberation. To refuses to tism are likely to deny it accept that opposition to Israel for cultivating relations with the palestinian Liberation. To refuses to major political party in the West, and certainly no government, would want to be assometed to a national homeland. To deny Israel's right to a national homeland. To deny Israel's right to exist the position taken by the Board of Deputies of British Jews, for instance, in its attack on Dundee Chy Council for cultivating relations with the pre-war period. It is not attack on Dundee Chy Council for cultivating relations with the pre-war period. It is not attack on Deputies of British Jews, for instance, in its attack on Deputies of British Jews, for instance, in its attack on Jews the Board of Deputies of British Jews, for instance, in its attack on Deputies of British Jews, for instance, in its attack on Deputies of British Jews, for instance, in its attack on Jews, for instance, in its attack on Deputies of British Jews, for instance, in its attack on Deputies of British Jews, for instance, in its attack on Deputies of British Jews, for instance

Bruges.

Mr D. M. J. Jones
and Miss N. F. Forster, MEP.
The marriage took place on Saturday at Chelsea. Old Church between Mr Michael Jones, son of Mr. Norman Jones and Mrs.
Margaret Jones, and Miss Norvela
Forster, MEP, daughter of the late Mr. B. Forster and of Mrs.
Forster. The Rev C. E. Leighton Thomson officiated.

The bride, who was given in

Bruges.

By Clifford Longley, Religious Affairs Correspondent Dr Roth is addressing him-self to a persistent fear in the in this analysis, however, Jewish community in Britain, which is all the more disturbthat rampant anti-semitism ing if the practical link becould break out. The constant tween anti-Zionism and antisereference of people with such matism is accepted as estabfears is to the complacency of lished. The theoretical-link
Corman and Feature People with the complacency of the complac German and Eastern European seems to demand an accept-Jews before the last war. He ance of the theory of Zionism.

speaks of the possibility of that Israel is an expression of creating the thing that is a divine right of the Jewish feared. people, and puts a question. There seems to be no like mark over the purity of the lihood of a serious right-extre- antisemitism of those who canmist revival. Nor is it helpful nor concede this much. In fact it is extremely difficult for a non-Jew to concede this much.

Only! an entreme Zionist would equate opposition to further Jewish sertlements on the West Bank with the daubing of swastikers on synago-gues and the obsecene slogans of the British Movement. But moderate Zionism, as repre-sented by the Institute of Jew-ish Affairs and the Board of Deputies, seems to want to insist on at least a theore connexion, to the effect that the logic of one leads eventually to the other.

It does not heave ground for proderate non-Zionists to stand on if to deny the divine right of Jews to a national homeland is considered an inherent anack on Jewish rights generally. This anomaly is not just a curiosity. It provides a theoretical basis for a new form of antisemitism, and the arony is that the theory is pro-vided by Jews themselves.

appropriate dialogue

partner for the Jewish community in discussing such issues as these would be the Christian churches, because only a religious but non Jewish philosophy would start with an adequate overlap of assump-

Antisemusian, as Jews under stand the term, is a religious issue; to discuss it in secular terms, at least beyond a certain point, would be to trivia-lize it. Unfortunately Christian comment is generally inhibited by the awareness of Jewish sensitivity, and no dialogue takes place.

The anti-antiseminsm."

which prevails in Christianity, particularly in Britain, is never expounded as a positive pro-Jewish, non-Zionist position with its own cheoretical feet to stand on.

Thus Dr Roth's survey of the Western European scene does not put any weight on the emphatic postwar repudiation of antisemitism by Christianity. Perhaps it is not obvious to a Jew that it could carry any weight, and there are histori-cal reasons for that distrust. Faced with the skinnead

public places, British Jews are clearly unsure how to react. Dr Roth's advice is not to overreact, as the danger is not individual nastiness but antipathy to Israel, coloured by false sympathy for the Pales-

It is a reassurance raises its own problems.

### OBITLARY PROFESSOR J. A. C. THOMAS

Popularizing Roman Law

Professor Joseph Anthony Charles Thomas, who died recently, as the result of an accident, at the age of 58, bad held the Chair of Roman Law in the University of London, and been a prominent member of the Faculty of Laws of Univer-sity College, since 1965.

Born in South Wales on February 24, 1923, and educated

at Bridgend County Grammar School and Trinity College Cambridge, he served during the Second World War in the Psychological Warfare Branch Psychological Warfare Branch of the Intelligence Corps, where incidentally he was taught Romanian. In 1949 he completed his law studies at Cambridge, was called to the Bar by Gray's Inn, and was appointed to a lectureship at Nottingham University.

At Nottingham he taught a

At Nottingham he taught a variety of law courses, and wrote a beautifully clear introduction to Private International Law, published in 1955. There also he began the association with J. C. Smith that resulted in their successful A Case-Book on Contract, which first appeared in 1957 (the seventh edition was going to make when he died). going to press when he died).

In 1954 he moved to Glasgow University to teach exclusively Roman law. He maintained his knowledge of modern law and was much in demand as an was much in demand as and external examiner, acting in that capacity in almost every law school in the United

Glagow. Dny Thomas knew that since Rosan law did not have an immediate appeal to law stu-dents, it had to be presented win wit and enthusiasm; he posessed both these qualities in bundance and was a popular Tis most lasting contri-

Kingdom. But henceforth he de oted his talents and energy to he study of Roman law, and

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buions on the subject are his edition of Justinian's Institutes (1975) and his Textbook of Renari law (1976). He main-taned close contacts with cottinental Romanists, lectured frquently in continental uni-vesities and was a familiar fiure at international conferences. In recognition of this activity he was awarded the Itlian gold medal for cultural diffraction in 1974.

An accomplished racontem, he had a wast fund of stories with which he greeted his many frends. He was also an efective administrator and mich in demand at University Ollege as a committee man in his last years he was dogged by

in 1949 he married Margaret Tookham, the marriage being dssolved in 1970. They had tiree sons and a daughter.

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### MISS BETT! HARDY

Miss Betty Hardy, who died at her Chelsea home on July 1, aged 77, was among the most affectionately respected character players in the theatre and, after the last war, specially in radio where she appeared in the widest variety of parts. She had always an unflawed truth, fortified by an eagerness which had never left her since her had never left her since her early days. Emlyn Williams, in early days, Emlyn Williams, in the second volume of his autobiography, has described how she partnered him, when she was 24, in his first London-produced play, Glamour (1928), "a small solemn girl" who had aiready the enthusiasm that would sustain her through her career. A commact figure. career. A compact figure, swiftly intelligent, gentle, and progressively assured in professional life, off stage she was the most generously helpful of friends.

friends.

Born at Lincoln in 1904, a clergyman's daughter and educated at York and, in London at the Royal Academy of Dramatic Art, she began in provincial touring (1925-27). Thenceforward she bad a long series of parts in such plays as The Good Companions, The Anatomist (she was Mary Belle Dishart at the Westminster in 1931). Jonah (she was Mary Belle Dishart at the Westminster in 1931). Jonah and the Whale, Ballerina, Mary Read (1934; one of the women pirates); and A Doll's House (Mrs Linden) and Hedda Gabler (Mrs Elvsted) in the Criterion's Ibsen season of 1936; there she opened a professional associ-

aion with the director Irene lentschel (Mrs. Ivor Brown). She was an exhilarating Maria it Miss Hentschel's revival of inelfth Night at Stratford upon /von in 1939 — the first Stratford production by a voman — as well as several cher parts during this last rewar Festival that moved in tween Audrey in As You Like I and Emilia in Othello.

During 1940-41 she was with the BBC repertory company, and in later years broadcasting occupied much of her time. But ocupied much of her time, But ocupied much of her time. But of the stage she played Anise in which on the Rhine (Aldwych 142), and Vanya's mother in Lacle Vanya (1945) during the famous Old Vic season at the New; she followed Henricus Watson as Nauny in another Henrichel production, The Yars Between at Wyndham's, and she went into what for her was a new world when she

and she went into what for her ws a new world when she ceated Mrs Thoroughfare in a Frbank-based musical. Valuable (Lyric, Hammersmith, 158 and Saville, 1959). Two yars ago she was one of the ecentric spinsters in Tennes Williams's View Carrier ecentric spinsters in reinters Williams's Vieux Carri at the Piccadilly, and at the time of her death she was acting with her usual quiet ability, the nother in A Month in the tourity at the National.

She gave a number of She gave a number of elevision performances in such imiliar programmes as Coron-tion. Street, Crown Court, and ackanory.

MR HERBERTBLAGRAVE

Mr Herbert Blagrave who died on July 4, held the unusual distinction during his long comexion with the British Turf of having bred his own horses, trained and raced them. This he did on an ambitious scale.

did on an ambitious scale.

Born at Cheltenham in 1899, he rode with modest success in point-to-points before taking out a licence to train in 1928. Meanwhile he acquired stables at The Grange, Beckhampton, near Marlborough, and followed this up during the Second World War when he bought the famous Harwood Stud at Woolton Hill in Berkshire. That was where Lady James Douglas's 1918 Triple Crown winner Gainsborough once stood and where he is buried. Atout Mattre, Tudor Minstrel, and Match III are other well known sires which at various times graced the 100 acres of paddocks. He also become owner of the Mount Property Stud in contractions. docks. He also become owner of the Mount Prospect Stud in co Kildare

Most of his top class mares were bought from his friend, the French racehorse owner/
breeder and theatre magnate,
Leon Volterra. His two best
known sires, the own brothers
Match III and Relance, were also purchased across the was a men Channel from François Dupre's stud in Normandy. When the ball Club.

ormer winner of Ascot's King teorge VI and Queen Elizabeth takes in 1964, died two years her at Harwood, he was eplaced by the dual French Salisbury was one of his avourite racecourses and he ad his wife, Gwen, sponsored a 11,000 handicap there in 1963. in,000 handicap there in 1963.

Ithough his ambition was to tin a classic race, the nearest le came to doing so was when thinese Cracker finished econd in the 1951 Oaks. Ascot, lowever, provided him with tappier memories. He bred supertello, the 1950 Gold Cupvinner, and he won three Royal Junt cups with Couvert (1938) as mell as many other prizes at the well as many other prizes at the Royal meetings.
At Kempton Park his home-bred Antiquarian won the Great Jubilee Handicap in successive

Jubilee Handicap in successive years (1965-66) before being sold as a sire to Poland, while Penny Hill, Royal Chief, and Red Brigand gave him three victories in the Rosebery Stakes. He was very much an all-round sportsman, a fine shot, no mean golfer, and in his younger days a useful cricketer and footballer. In keeping with these wide sporting interests he these wide sporting interests he was a member of the MCC and a director of Southampton Foot-

Friday (9.50): Private Members' Bi Hotels and Restaurants (Control Service Charges) Bill, second reading Select committees: Today: Education Science and Arts. Subject: Seca-bergiany Syssion on 1981. Without Secretary of State for Education & Science (4.50).

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rerry; (c) Dan Maskell?

10. A show opened in London last week which demonstrated that having God on your side did not necessarily mean writing the best songs. What was it: (a) Amadeus; (b) Godspell; (c) The Bob Dylan concerts at Earls Court? Court?

11. When does an Irishman become Prime Minister? Answer:

When he leads the losing party in

Parliament this week

Commons' Today (2.30): lebate on flags of convenience. Deep be Mining Stagos. Merseyside Develop ent Corporation (Vesting of Land) (rders. Tomorrow (2.30): Debate o Delence white Paper The War Forwall, British Teleromominications 8181. Lan, amendments. Teleratomunications Bill. Lors, ameno-ments.
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Princess Margaret with her children Viscount Linley and Lady Sarah Armstrong-Jones. The Princess and her daughter are leaving today for a week's visit to Canada:

The Royal National Rose Society's Rose 81 festival and national summer show at Chiswell Green, St Albans, Hertfordshire, attracted large crowds at the weekend. The

and the Sea 1, to commemorate the centenary of the Royal National Mission to Deep Sea

The festival was officially opened by Mr. James Mason, the

actor, whose wife, Clarissa, was presented with a barket of a new

presented with a barker of a new rose variety named after her. The competitive classes included some splendid blooms with the amateur growers staging excellent boxes, bowls and vases. With the ever-increasing popularity of miniature roses, in addition to the

ever-increasing popularity of miniature roses, in addition to the usual bowl and vase classes, further ones were added for boxes of six blooms.

For the first time since the fioral art classes were introduced by the society more than 30 years ago, flowers other than roses were also allowed.

RESULTSI Leading principles of the amateur classes were (section open to all members) Robert Shipman Memorial Class, bowl, of old garden roses, Mr. L. A Foberts, Gionester, and services of the section of the

James Mason opens

By Our Horticulture Correspondent

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### Birthdays today



Mr Vladimir Ashkenazy, the concert pianist, who is 44.

Caldwell, 72; the Dalai Lama, 46; Professor A G Dickens, 71; Mr. Peter Glossop, 53; Lieutenant-General E N Goddard, 84; Mr Jeff King, 40; Sir Paul Mallinson, 72; Sir John Mellor, 88; Professor Barry Nicholas, 62; Vice-Admiral Sir Arthur Pedder, 77; Miss Mary Peters, 42; the Right Rev Simon Phipps, 60; Major-General Sir Robert Pigot, 56, Mr Brian Taylor,

Aloka Week "Royal Court", Mansion House, 10.30. Latest appointments

The following have been appointed recorders:

Wednesday: Takes the salute at the march past of the 2nd Batta-lion, The Queen's Regiment, exercising the privilege of the Freedom of the City of London, Mansion House, 1.00

Mansion House, 10.30.

Friday: Opens exhibition of paintings by Mr Victor Galliano, St Martin-within-Ludgate, EC4, 11.30.

Sunday: Attends anniversary service of reconsecration, St Lawrence lewry-next-Guildhall. 11.00:

appointed recorders;
Mr W E Barnett, Mr P N R Clark,
Mr J M Coulson, Mr R J H Gibbs,
Mr P Kenworthy-Browne, Mr S K.
Overend, Mr C J Pitchers, Mr J
M G Roberts, Mr J A O Shand, Mr
R L Turner, Mr G H G Williams. of the City of London, Mansion House, 1.00

Thursday: Receives the Mayor of Honolulu, Hawaii, and the Rose, Mansion House, 11.45.

Law Report Court of Appeal

# Employer's duty to non-employees

inform and instruct (S2(2)(c)) not only his own employees, but also the employees of other persons not in any contractual relationship to him, where that was necessary to ensure the health and safety of his own employees. Furthermore, the duty imposed on an employer by virtue of section 3(1) of the Act, to conduct his undertaking in such a way as to ensure that persons not in his to ensure that persons not in his employment who might be affected thereby were not exposed to risks to their health or safety, was wide enough to include the duty to provide information and

instruction.
The Court of Appeal (Criminal Division) dismissed an appeal Division) dismissed an appeal against conviction by Swan Hunter Shipbuilders Ltd who had Hunter Shipbuilders 1.40 who had been found guilty at York Crown Court (Mr Justice Boreham) of failing to provide and maintain a system of work that was, so far as was reasonably practicable, safe and without risks to health, contrary to section 2(2)(a) of the

Regina v Swan Hunter Ship-building Led

Before Lord Justice Dann, Mr Justice Michael Davies and Mr Justice Anthony Lincoln

[Judgment delivered June 30]

In order to satisfy the general duty imposed by section 2(1) of the Health and Safety at Work Act, 1974, an employer was not in their employment who of work for (S2(2)(a)) and to inform and instruct (S2(2)(c)) not only his own employees, but also the employees of other persons

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Mr L. D. Lawton, QC, Mr John Deby, QC, and Mr Quinton Tudor-Evans for the appellants; Mr Humphrey Potts, QC, and Mr Frederick Such for the Health and Safety Executive. LORD JUSTICE DUNN, deliver-

ing the judgment of the court, said that on September 23, 1976, a fierce fire broke out on board HMS Glasgow, then under construction by the appellants. Eight men were killed. The fire was so intense because the atmosphere in men were killed. The fire was so intense because the atmosphere in that part of the vessel, which was badly ventilated, had become oxygen enriched Current had escaped from a hose left in the deck by an employee of a firm of

subcontractors.

The question raised by the appeal was whether the duty imposed on the appellants by sections 2 and 3 included a duty to provide subcontractors' em-ployees with information regard-

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appellants had submitted that on a true construction of sections 2(2)(a), (c) and 3(1) they were under no duty to inform or instruct employees working aboard the vessel other than their term Mr. Institute Roreham had

In the court's view the duties under sections 2 and 3 were covered by the general duty on an employer in section 2(1) to ensure, so far as was reasonably practicable, the health, safety and welfare at work of all his employees. That was a strict duty.

own. Mr Justice Boreham had ruled against that submission.

If the provision of a safe system of work for the benefit of an employer's own employees involved the provision of information and instruction as to potential dangers to persons other than his own employees, then he was under a duty to provide such information and instruction. His protection was the words, "so far

as is reasonably practicable" which appeared in all the relevant

lu respect ot section 3(1), Mr Lawton, for the appellants, submitted that if there was a submitted that it there was a general duty under subsection (1) which included the provision of information and instruction to persons not in their employment, then section 3(3) which specifically referred to the provision of information was rendered meaningles.

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It was submitted for the Health
and Safety Executive that such a
duty did not render section 3(3)
otiose because the information required to be given by the subsection was limited information to be prescribed by regulations not yet made.

The court could not improve on the work of Mr. Invalor Court

the words of Mr Justice Boreham: "In my judgment subsection (3) does not impinge upon, not does it limit in any way section 3(1). Subsection (3) is dealing with a very limited class and a very limited number, namely the prescribed cases where only prescribed information is to be approached. given . The words . . in subsection (1) are wide enough to include the giving of information and instruction to employees other than one's own employees." The appeal was dismissed. Solicitors: A. D. Deas & Co. Sosforth, Newcastle upon Tyne; Solicitor to the Health and Safety Executive.

# Moreover... Miles Kington

People who keep a strict eye on the news are well catered for by quizzes. This one is for the distracted minority who glance only at the headlines. It is based on last week's events, very roughly.

1. "After he had described his opponent as an enemy of the state, tens of thousands of his supporters ran wild in the streets and caused a great deal of damage. No British cars were hurt." Who is the "he "referred to: (a) Ayatollah Khomeini; (b) Menachem Begin; (c) John McEnroe; (d) Tony Beun?

2. Mrs. Whitehouse is planning to sue Peter O'Toole over his recent production of Macbeth, in that he did commit or procure to be committed several stimulated murders. True or false?

3. If Bob Lutz and Stan Smith had gune out in the semi-finals, the men's doubles finals would have been between Fleming and McNamee. How many BBC commentators would have been cartied out favoring at the week which demonstrated that McEnroe and McNamara and McNamee. How many BBC com-mentators would have been car-ried out fearning at the mouth with twisted tongues? 4. The historical liberator of Bolivia was (a) Simon Bolivar; (b) Eva Peron; (c) Simon Peres? 5. What is the name of the com-pany that has been formed to look after the visit of the Pope to Britain: (a) Romans in Britain Ltd; (b) Papal Visits Ltd; (c)

25 years ago

drawn from the House, There was fierce opposition and apparent From The Times of Thursday, July uneasiness on some of the govern-Bonn. July 4.—The first conscription Bill was given a second reading in the Bundestag tonight after members of the Social Democratic Party and Refugee Party had with-

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### THE ARTS

# The voice of human emotions

For a soprano who is still only in her mid-thirties Kiri Te Kanawa has been living with Don Giovanni for a long time. Back in 1973 Colin Davis persuaded her to sing Donua Elvira when he recorded Mozart's opera, the youngest member of an otherwise experenced cast. Later that year he slipped her into the Covent Garden production when the scheduled Elvira, Margherita Rinaldi, withdrew. Miss Te Kanawa used the same role in 1975 for her debut at the Paris Opera, a house with which she Opera, a house with which she has since maintained the strorgest associations. And three years later she was recording Elvira again, this time under Lorin Mazzel in the set which emerged from Joseph Losey's film.

Others may start by cinging

others may start by singing Zerlina, or perhaps have a crack at Donna Anna, but not kiri Te Kanawa. Elvira for her is the part and that is the on-she will be singing at Covent Garden tonight in the new production by Peter Wood, with Sir Colin Davis in the pit. It would seem that there is not much left for her to learn about Elvira. Or is there? "Clearly, you grow. When I look back at that first recording with Colin which came right at the beginning of my career, I cause that a lot is missing. I don't think that we got the Elvira that either he or I wanted: she was far too meek for a start. The Elvira you'll see this week will be reached and the start of the seem of of t Elvira you'll see this week will be much more real, frantic and

"Having Ruggero [Raimondi in the title role helps a great deal. We've worked a lot together and there are not inhibitions when it comes to the touchy-touchy. Elvira has set appeal, confidence in her own body; she is beauty and her own body: she i ruled by her sexual drive. A that first encounter in the oper between Giovanni and Elvir they literally suiff one anothe

Covent Garden's first post-war home-grown Mozart Festival opens tonight with a new production of Don Giovanni by Peter Wood. Kiri Te Kanawa appears as Donna Elvira, the role Sir Colin Davis, who conducts all of the Mozart-da Ponte operas this month, first persuaded her to sing in 1973...

yourself. If you are singing parts which require a little blood and guts then you had better go out and discover how people live. I think we achieved something with that film, but at times Joe was inhibited by Frantz Salieri, the co-producer, who knew more about the operathan he did. Uccasionally though it worked to good effect. 'Ah...perfido mostro', that moment when Elvira finds Giovanni with yet another woman, really came off because I was in a temper about being frustrated in what I wanted to do." out. Giovanni says 'Mi pare sentir odor di femmina', but she scents him too. Some think that Elvira should be played as a madwoman. She's not mad, just madwoman. She's not mad, just incensed that she cannot get her hands on Giovanni."

During the filming of Don Giovanni by Joe Losey in the Veneto Kiri Te Kanawa acquired the reputation of being by far the most friendly and extrovert of the opera singers in the cast. She was out in the marshes beyond Vicenza downing a grog or whatever is downed on location at freezing dawn, with the boatmen

Later this year Miss Te Kanawa will be turning her attention to Richard Strauss and most particularly to the Marschallin in Der Rosenkavaliar, which she sings for the first time at the Paris Opera in November in a new production by Jean Claude Auvray, one of France's most promising young directors. promising young directors.
Mozart has been fairly thoroughly explored — Fiordiligi, the
Countess, Pamina, Elvira —

although flia in Idomeneo will surely follow one of these days. Strauss, though, is just beginning, with the exception of the Four Last Songs which for some time have been for her a kind of visiting card.

"For stimulation and lubrication of the vocal chords Mozart is the tops. The voice is a fragile instrument; as far as I'm concerned when it's off it's really off and I go away and work. If there are any doubts then I simoly sing Porgi amor' and 'Ach, ich fühl's' and I will know straight away what sort of shape it is in. Even so you have to beware of Mozart. Too much of him and you can sound boring, particularly in the portament, when you move off into Verdi and Puccini.

"Strauss, as you say, is just beginning. He suits my voice and that is a very good reason for loving him! Apart from the Marschallin there is Capriccio planned for Brussels in two years' time. I see these Strauss ladies perhaps as a lot of cousins all living in different circumstances, and of course no menage is the same as another.

"Of all the roles I have sung so far Arabella has given me the most physical and vocal pleasure. Probably I got quite close with John Cox's help in America. There's a lot of me in her. I'm difficult in relationships.

I admit that I play people off against one another.

"I like rough diamonds with a bit of gruffness about them particularly if they are in tails like Mandryka."

Kiri Te Kanawa's next engagement after the close of the Covent Garden season will be at St Paul's on Inly 29 when she

gagement after the close of the gagement after the close of the Covent Garden season will be at St Paul's on July 29 when she sings "Let the bright seraphim," On that day there should be plenty of men in tails about, but diamonds of the rougher sort may be in shorter samply.

John Higgins



Kirl Te Kanawa rehearsing with Ruggero Raimondi

### **Theatre** Amadens

### Her Majesty's

After its international con-quests of the past two years there is small point in heaping any more superlatives on Peter Shaffer's play, and, in any case,

sharter's play; and, in any case, superlatives are almost an insult to its real achievement.

Like all Shaffer's large-scale work, Amadeus presents the enigma of genius from the viewpoint of a man who will never attain it. This viewpoint is also Shaffer's own. His plays are not dictated from above; they are incubated, researched. they are incubated, researched, and endlessly rewritten in collaboration with his actors. What places Amadeus above the rest is its discovery of a fable which at once gives scope to his which at once gives scope to his (and his director, Peter Hall's) unrequited passion for music. History and gossip about the Salieri-Mozart relationship supply a ready-made theatrical framework, but that alone would not have earned the play its huge popular success. A likelier explanation is that by likelier explanation is that, by accident or design, Shaffer has hit on a universal myth: a counter-Faust legend in which, instead of bartering his soul to the devil, the hero barters it to God - hard work and virtue in

exchange for his innermost desire — and is just as cruelly cheated in the end. This, I suspect, is closer to common experience than any bargain with Mephistopheles.

freezing dawn, with the boatmen and frogmen while others were complaining about the weather

conditions.

conditions.

"I liked mixing with the 'lads' because that's where you meet life. We all spend a great deal of our time surrounded by 'high art' and it does us good to get away from it from time to time. I hate the attitude of those who sit in their car when they get a puncture and call for the wheel to be changed — find out how it's done and then have a go

Peter Hall's West End version is recast and incorporates the textual changes of his Broadway production. Chief among the alterations are the scenes leading up to Mozart's death which are the National which — at the National — departed from history by allowing Salieri to mastermind the macabre Requiem episode.
The new version runs parallel
with the facts instead of
contradicting them. Salieri now destroys Mozart by posing as his closest friend, encourages him to offend his masonic patrons by writing The Magic Flute, and only then masquer-

ades as the man in grey who haunts Mozart's dreams.

This revision involves the sacrifice of the most dramatic single incident in the story; the arrival of the sinister emissary who commissions Mozart's last work. Salieri also damps the work. Saheri also damps the atmosphere of the climax by retailing the facts about the anonymous patron. However, the new scenes do keep attention firmly fixed on the two principals (instead of spreading the focus to Constanze) and enables their re-

lationship to develop to the end, where Mozart reverts to child-hood and greets his arch enemy as his dead father.

Frank Finlay's Salieri presents a starkly illuminating contrast to Paul Scofield's in the original show. Scofield was a natural aristocrat; robbed of music he would still have been an ornament to the Vienness music he would still have been an ornament to the Vienness Court. With Mr Finlay it is all he has got; he is still palpably the small town boy, ungainly and provincial, and hanging on to his job by exclusively professional means. Bargains with God aside, the action shows him fighting for his life. Richard O'Callaghan, playing a somewhat cleaned-up text, presents a less grotesque Mozart than Simon Callow's. His manner is that of a nimble, insect-like parasite, whose main fault in company is that his msect-ine parasite, whose main fault in company is that his compliments go on too long. When taken over by music, though, his whole face and physique are transformed; as though Osric were changing into Gerard Philipe. The rest of the company are well up to the quality of their predecessors, with fine performances from Morag Hood and John Harding as Constance and the Emperor Joseph

### Thirteenth Night

### Warehouse

Howard Brenton's new play is probably the first digital Shakes peare, the first Macbeth with television jingles for a chorus and assassinations timed by a digital watch. Although there was a solemn reception for the first performance at the Warn

was a solemn reception for the first performance at the Warehouse, it may not be necessary to see it as a tragedy. Mr Brenton subtities it "Dream Play" and, even if it is a very serious satire, it is also distinctly comical.

After The Romans in Britain he has not exactly abandoned historical parallels and precedents for Thirteenth Night, but instead of casting the play in the mould of the past he has pushed it shead in time, making it a sort of future fiction. We are past the time when Mr Brenton could be called a promising playwright; his general stage mastery is increasingly obvious and there is a profilirate display of it by the Irving Wardle tacked by thurs, to droll poetic pastiche evoking Julius Caesar.

Michael Pennington appears in the centre of Mr Brenton's in the centre of Mr Brenton's stark fantasia as a politician called Jack Bearty, and he holds it together with a magnetism that is political, that evokes Robert Kennedy while he harangues a crowd. The words of that crucial speech are not quite inflammatory enough to do the dirty work that Mr Brenton suggests they do, which is to unleash a mob on the American Embassy in Grosvenor. Square and to instigue the death of the American ambassador, but it is not their actual effect that is being measured, rather the effect on the mind of Beatty and the projected effect on the British people.

Beatty's discovery of his power combines with manipulation from his mistress and argings from a security chief to transform him into a mixture of Macbeth and Brutus, characters of proved literary respectability. Dispensing with qualms, he personally assessing with qualms, Labour Prime Minister and takes part in an armed coup which raises him to absolute power: from being merely a promising puritanical socialist, he follows the path of Stalin to cruel implementation of his vision:

A need for pride of place

There is much ingenuity in Mr Brenton's exploitation of Shakespeare, and it goes beyond his skilful echoing of beyond his skilful echoing of famous lines. He sets the characters of Shakespeare to find the elements in the British character which could transform an Englishman into a Stalin, and closes in on his creation with an overall wit to match his horror.

Throughout the performance

Throughout the performance, the actors of the Royal Shakespeare Company colour the words with literary and modernwords with literary and modern-meanings. Much credit must go to the serious atmosphere established by Barry Kyle's production, which resounds with classical distinction and moves with the pace of a thriller.

thriller.

The comedy is harsh, and the aim of the work is high. While Mr Brenton projects an absolutist state of the left, it is clearly not his intention to attack the left politically: His concerns are with democratic participation. with democratic participation and justice. The complexities of witches, disembodied female voices in an underground car park, may be seen to goad Beatty to power for the good of the people and later gloat at his decreasion.

**Ned Chaillet** 

### Take Eight

### Royal Exchange,

his women turned out to be kung-fu fighters, the time might pass more pleasantly. The basic idea would not necessarily

basic idea would not necessarily
be improved.

It is only a revue of songs, a
hit parade of some 28, tunes
ranging from Mr. Bowles's
arrangement of Elizabethan
part-singing to Mr Bowles's
arrangement of songs by Terry
James and Anthony Bowles.
Between the Bowles there are

Feel Pretty" comes out of West Side Story into the punk poses of 1977 as Lesley Nicol adorns herself with chains and a dog collar.

Take Eight does have some good moments; decorative high-lights where the clowning of the performers is so high-spir-ited that the foolishness of their red that the roomaness or their various exercises is forgotten. Barry James, for instance, does a pantomime turn at singing "Carolina in the Morning" while being drowned out by the chorus and, because he puts so much energy into it, the result is much more pleasant than any description of his actions might

suggest.
Most of the performers are given small opportunities to shine on their own, and Annabel Leventon is unleashed from the conceits of the production for a few minutes of subry singing which remind one of her talent. But there is no real coherence to Mr Bowles's end-of-term show, and size that fault.

In a season as successful as that just finished, the Royal Exchange can clearly afford a little relaxation from the higher aspirations. Take Eight appears as a complete relaxation, which might also be described as a collapse. Even the skilled and sulien piano playing of Gareth Valentine does not maintain the impetus that is needed.

### Concerts in London

### Pauk/Malcolm

### Wigmore Hall

If the pre-concert noise level and sartorial character of an audience are anything to go by — and they so often are at the Wigmore Hall — it looked on Vignore half — it flooked on Saturday night as we were in for a particularly reverential evening. It was, after all, the first of two recitals in which Gyorgy Pauk and George Malcolm are working their way through the complete Bach sonatas for violing and harpsi-

Wednesday. Both Pauk and Malcolm are, thank goodness, musicians whose scholarly reverence is always amplified and warmed by

### Cohen Trio

### Wigmore Hall

Ine piano trio is notoriously a wifficult medium, and not just because, as is usually main-mined, the blend between keyboard and strings is uneasy. heyboard and strings is uneasy, and as significant is the fact, that as a grouping the trio is at once too large and too small. Either one instrument, usually the cello, sounds like an unwanted chaperon at a sonata for the other two, or else the violin and cello together seem an insufficient counterweight to the piano.

Among the few composers who have satisfactorily solved the trio problem is Dvorak, and



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a respect and love for some-thing deeper at the heart of Bach's music: its ability to be unpredictable, to surprise by

So often in a fugal allegro Pauk would make the most ostensibly predictable sequence leap with new life, reinforcing, as he did in the second movement of the fourth sonata, the music's natural direction by the music's natural direction by a sprinting amicipation or a darkening of tone; or, as in the opening of the sixth, by creating a sprinting momentum in the spaces between the darting quavers themselves. George Malcolm's harpsi-chord playing constantly re-minded us that three of these

works are really trio sonatas, the right hand acting as a second melody instrument. Not

nong the few ensembles the Cohen Trio, who on Friday gave the first of two recitals including all four of Dvorák's works in this form. His success, they suggested, was bound up with his abiding characteristic of doing sonething defiant or outrageous within a context of well behaved German serious-ness, for the plane trio, as an unstable compromise, thrives

Examples here included the fierce dissonance at one moment in the slow movement of the first trio, in the hallowed piano trio key of B flat, or the almost toppling first movement of the third trio in F minor, pulled in so many different directions by so many big themes, or the rude interrup-

### Finchley Children's Music Group

### St John's:

Granny Chang is, it seems, a sort of Mandarin Mother Goose. Her Dragot Songs, a collection of sharp, vry Chinese nursery rhymes, vere discovered and set by Richard Blackford (composer of Sir Ganain and the Green Knight and The Pig Organ), as a commission from Organ) as a commission from the Finchey Children's Music Group. Under the composer's ively direction they gave them heir firs performance on Friday.

Accompanied by piano duet and children percussionists, their carefully-researched Chinese mythms, modes and instrumental timbres create a cleverly synthesized aura of English dawing-room chinoiserie: I particularly enjoyed "The Dead Ciccia", a vignette framed by cunning evocations of a bamboo flute (recorder and flute) and Chinese mither (plucked biano strings). And the children' enthusiasm for music Accompanied by piano duet children' enthusiasm for music rang through their alert, bright-

only through his imaginative only through his imaginative choice of registration, but also through a delicately modulated touch, he could provide, in the fourth sonata's opening, a sharply characterized cross-etching against which Pauk drew a fine, mobile pen-and-ink line, in its Adagio a tugging nettern of triplets against the pattern of triplets against the violin's sombre meditation.

In the E minor Sonata, where the harpsichordist is left to improvise over a harmonic basis, Mr Malcolm's imaginanion and taste were perfectly fused, whether in the stronghewn, inventively-structured for the foundation he provided for the Adagio, or in his elegantly-pointed repartee to Mr Pauk's mischeivously chattering Gigue.

### **Hilary Finch**

tions of folk spirit, due to take over in the last trio, the "Dumky", but already present in movements of both the works

here.

Exactly the right style for this music was the Cohens' combination of musicianly sophistication with a completely naive feeling for musical expression. Perhaps they suaved into sentimentality in the slow movement of the F minor Trio, but elsewhere their enjoyment. but elsewhere their enjoyment was communicated through was communicated through natural phrasing and perfect accord. I just wish I had not known they are a mother-father-son team: the experience was rather like hearing a family conduct its intimate conver-

### **Paul Griffiths**

toned singing, sharply accurate in pitch and rhythm, through a variety of testing part-writing, unison and solo settings.

They had fun, too, and so did we, with four of Nicholas Maw's tongue-twisting Nonsense Rhymes, their piano accompaniments beautifully muched in by Alexander Wells. touched in by Alexander Wells. His playing gilded, too, Richard Rodney Bennett's The Insect World: the choir's fluent articu-lation of their four disarmingly-simple settings was no less fine an achievment than their steady intonation in Bruce Cole's four haiku settings, Autumn Cicada, their network of unaccompan-ied vocal harmonies offset by the fine harp playing of Julia Ronald Corp, the group,s Assistant Director, conducted these three works with compel-

ling clarity. It was a pity that their director, John Andrewes, through whose enterprise all these works have been introdetached houses of the thirties and their ancestors. Since so many of the people who destroy our older houses live in these. duced into the choir's wideranging repertoire, should have
had the task of getting the
concert going with Gordon
Crosse's drearily opaque settings of Ted Hughes's Meet My
Folks.

Hilary Finch Hilary Finch their errors.

There are some gaps: nothing on colour, despite the fact that

profligate display of it in the new play as he moves from a brief scene of highly accomplished naturalism, showing a group of Labour Party politicians menaced and articles.

The Smaller English

By Lyndon F. Cave

Very few people today chop up seventeenth century chests of

drawers or smash eighteenth century dinner services to make

underlays for paths. Yet the houses that protected them still get demolished with hardly a

get demolished with hardly a thought. Westminster City Council have just finished off a row of pleasant eighteenth century houses in the next street to me. Larger houses have usually had some protection, but this did not halt the demolition of two splendid. Adam houses right opposite the RIBA in Pordani Place last: year. The reason is not economics but ignorance.

year. The reason is not econ-omics but ignorance.

As Lyndon Cave points out in his introduction, few compre-hensive books on small houses have been published in the last sixty years and these houses are

the ones most at risk. Farniture and untiques have been pre-served, restored and cared for largely because there are so many books on them. Fortu-

nately, the number of recent books on small houses is on the

books on small houses is on the increase. There is even a new magazine, the Period Home. The visual classic was Edwin Smith's English Cottages and Farmhouses (1952) (curiously not mentioned in Lydon Cave's further reading), the best read Alec Clifton-Taylor's The pattern of English Building (1963), followed by the scholarly

Books

House

(Robert Hall, £9.50)

destruction.

The Temple of the Four Winds at Castle Howard from Buildings of Britain: Yorkshire 1550-1750 by David Hey (Moorland, £8.95). Designed by Vanbrugh in 1724-26, with slight modifications by Hawksmoor, it was modelled on the Villa Rotonda at Vicenza, and intended as a belvedere from which to view Yorkshire.

followed by the scholarly *Vernacular Architecture* by R. W. Brunskill in 1970. Lyndon Taylor writes as an architect with much experience in the protection of old houses. it is a study read and the quality of photography hardly marches the subject. The author is more interested in the history, and construction of the smaller have originated in Yorkshire, but they are common in many other counties, especially in the South East. Like Lyndon Cave, many authors have credited the elegance of small eighteenth century houses to the architectural pattern books published at the time. But if the authors had ried to design a cottage from and construction of the smaller house and it is an able digest of information. He traces the development from early times until around 1900. It is sad that he should stop then, as this was the great period when Batsford and Studio published the last batch of books on small houses, with the designs of Voysey, Mitchell, Lutyens, Newton and the drawings of Sydney R. Jones that inspired the design of the majority of small houses built before 1940. With another chapter he could have pointed out the link between the semi-detached houses of the thirties tried to design a cottage from the books, they would have found them of very little help. They simply give rules for proportions and plans for large houses, and palaces that the authors aspired to design. They were the sichteenth century were the eighteenth century architect's way of advertising. architect's way of advertising.
Old cottages and houses were
simply copies, with slight
improvements, of the houses
nearby, designed by eye and not
by rote. The most common type
of mortar joint in brickwork
was not just 'flush' but 'flush
and rodded': a flush joint with a
groove ruled in the centre. It

neatly framed the uneven hand-

made bricks, giving a slight

most old cottages and houses shadow line. The rod also were colour — or white-washed. In the last remaints of the mortar, making it more tradition can still be seen in the some facts I would dispute horizontal sliding windows may have originated in Yorkshire, but they are common in many other counties, especially in the South East. Like Lyndon Cave, many authors have credited the elegance of small eighteenth century houses to the architectural pattern books published at the time. But if the authors had The author does not make it clear that imported pantiles were extremely common in Londou till the advent of cheap Welsh slate in the nineteen century. The curved forms of pantiles gave a very continental look to parts of London. The last seventeenth century pantile and dormer window in Covent Garden was replaced with flat asphalt two years ago. There is much excellent information for the general reader and the publishers, should be congratu-lated on adding another book to what one hopes is a growing shelf for those who have the power to protect our environ-

# Manchester

Taking eight actors who sing and dance is enough to give Anthony Bowles a title for his summer show; it is not enough to turn it into an entertainment. If he decorated, more of the musical numbers with the jokey flair he brought to "The Teddy Bears" Picnic", where his men were transformed into cheerfully menacing Teddy boys and his women turned out to be

contributions from George and Ira Gershwin, from Cockney music hall and Rodgers and Hart. There seems to be a

theme, however.

The idea is that the music of the past is always reshaped to the mood of the present, and it certainly is by Mr Bowles. He gives music to words by W. S. Gübert so that "Diddlesex Junction" is placed remarkably near "Tuxedo Junction". "I

Ned Chaillet

### Television

### The Taste of Death on my Tongue

### BBC 2

H. C. Robbins Landon is one of the most exuberent and exhilarating musicologists alive, so the most important aspect of his most important aspect of his-film about the last decade of Mozart's life, which introduced a fortnight of special pro-grammes, was not the original insight it offered into the composer's decline and death none was attempted - but the fact that it placed an exception-ally gifted communicator in the place where such people should always have a chance to be, on a television screen. Next year is the 250th anniversary of Haydn's birth and we must hope the BBC has great plans for him

They will have to cherish him a bit more though, and beef up what Sam Goldwan would have called his showcasing. He does have star quality but he is also a scholar with plenty to say, and The Taste of Death on my Tongue handled neither aspect of his personality to complete satisfaction. It was not especially witty to have him emerge round a corner like the man in grey bringing Mozart the They will have to cherish him grey bringing Mozart the commission for the Requiem, nor to appear to have just dined at the same table as Mozart,

Haven and Salomon, least of all to have him puff, while talking, up one of those enormous baroque staircases more suited to the Spanish Riding School than any man.

The chronology ranged back and forth over several time-scales in succession — 10 years, a few months, the last days and was sometimes confusing.
The pictures devised in J.
Mervyn Williams's production
varied from the unexceptional
(graves, sunlight, greenery,
Christ on the cross) to the obsessive (carriage wheels in the grass) and the frankly crummy (hands counting out coins to ram home Mozart's coins to ram home Mozart's terrible borrowing and debts). The style occasionally suggested that of Colin hears, win none of the intellectual shape or dramatic intensity that distinguishes the contensity of the

or dramatic intensity that distinguishes Nears's work. Those who consider Amadeus our theatrical equivalent of a Potemkin village — all dazzling scenery and no third dimension — would be delighted to find the "demented confession" of Salieri given short shrift in Landor's parartira the structure. Landon's narrative, the most absorbing part of which, indeed, concerned the freemasons, on whose Austrian territory and in defence of whose love for Mozart Professor Landon became, truly for the first time in the film, his expansive.

Michael Ratcliffe

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Shopkeepers under a cloud, page 19

# Business News

THE TIMES July 6 1981

The European Community budget needs to be restructured and the Common Agricultural Policy reviewed to allow more spending that will benefit industry, the Confederation of British Industry believes. These priorities are outlined in a paper Objectives of the UK Presidency of the EEC, which Sir Terence Beckett, CBI director general, has sent to Lord Carrington, the Foreign Secretary.

The confederation wants expenditure

benefit industry.

It wants the regional fund expanded to deal more with the problems of urban areas where industry is in the decline.

The Social Fund's resources should be oncentrated on training and retraining.

gerting on average in the United Kingdom f4,177 a year, while senior executive secre-

Unemployment levels seem to have had no direct effect on the rates of pay and there are few signs that the introduction

of new office technologies have

reduced the number of office jobs available.

These are some of the con-clusions of the latest office salaries analysis by the lustitute

of Administrative Management which bases its conclusions on surveys of nearly 40,000 workers at more than 600 dif-

ferent offices around Britain.

taries earn around £5,500.

Office salary rises

lower in the South

By Our Commercial Editor

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- Stock markets FT Index 548.0 FT Gilts 65.51
- Sterling \$1.8935
- Dollar Index 109.8
- Gold \$414
- Money
  - (Friday's close)

### IN BRIEF

### Lower UK inflation forecast

Tighter monetary conditions in the United States will slow down the United. Kingdom economic recovery slightly in 1981 but there are good prospects for higher output and lower inflation from next year onwards according to a few constants. onwards, according to a fore-cast by the Liverpool Research

The group sees no fall in United Kingdom interest rates this year and inflation averaging 11 per cent However, it sees significantly lower interest rates pext year and inflation

down to 62 per cent.

By contrast broker James
Capel predicts that the inflation
rate could rise to 14 per cent
by the end of 1982 unless the Government introduces an in-

comes policy.
Wood, Mackenzie sees a decline in United States interest rates and the fall in the oil price providing a powerful stimulus to the world economy in the second half of this year.

### Gas sales condemned

The Government's direction to British Gas to sell its showrooms and its inshore oil
installation at Wytch Farm,
Dorset, was condemned by the
national executive council of the National and Local Govern-ment Officers Association (Nalgo). It also recorded full support for the union's 50,000 members in the gas industry who are to take industrial action in defence of British Gas and its retail operations.

### Montedison divisions

Montedison, the Italian chemi-cal giant which has been reorganizing into a series of operational companies under the parent holding company, has set up three fine chemical companies, Montelluos, Ausidet' and Ausind. Each has a capital of 1,500 million lire (£660,000), and together they will have an annual turnover of about 500,000 million lire (£220m) with a total workforce of 4,500.

### Toyota deal with Iraq

Toyota Motor Sales, the Jap-anese car company's sales arm has won an order for 10,000 subcompact cars from fraq for hipment between August and December. The company said the deal was made before Toyota suspended talks with Ford on Thursday over further production of vehicles in the United States.

### Nuclear increase

Delegates at the meeting of the Council for Mutual Econ-omic Integration (Comecon) in Sofia agreed to double the alliance's capacity for producing nuclear energy, the East German ADN news agency reported.
According to official statistics,
the capacity of Comecon aucher-powered reactors outside
the Soviet Union is now 17,800
megawatts.

Controls extended Export controls on som goods are being extended to all destinations from July 27 because of possible nuclear applications, the Department of Trade has announced. The goods include machines for filamentwinding and tape-laying, mag-netic materials, fibrous and filantary materials and synthetic

Alaska lease sale The United States Federal Bureau of Land Management has set December 16 as the date for the first oil and natural gas lease sale in the national pet-roleum reserve, Alaska, at which 1.5 million acres will be

lubricating oils and greases.

Chrysler 'improving' Chrysler's earnings figures will prove that the company is returning to fin-ancial health, even if predic-tions of a profit are wrong, Mr Wendell Larsen, a Chrysler vice-president said.

### Spanish steel loss

Ensidesa, Spain's state con-trolled integrated steel company reported a record loss of 15,600 million pesetas (£86m) in 1980, after a loss of 5,700 million pesetas the previous

### Bangladeshi banks

Bangladesh plans to restore private banks and extend the private sector in general, the Bangladesh deputy Prime Minister Mr Jamaluddin Ahmed, said in an interview published in a French business magazine.

# Jaguar warns suppliers over quality

Jaguar Cars has told many of its 1,700 components suppliers that they must improve the quality of their products or lose the business, probably to foreign competitors.

competitors, probably to toreign competitors, Mr John Egan, who took over as chief executive of Jaguar in April last year, said the standard of some of the components then being delivered was a

He blamed outside suppliers for 60 per cent of quality Under stringent new quality controls instituted by Mr Egan any supplier whose components have a failure rate of more than

1.5 per cent is being pursued for the full warranty cost of labour and materials. Such conditions are among the toughest imposed by a British motor company and all prospective suppliers must accept

hem as a condition of winning Jaguar custom.

Mr Egan said he was shocked at the level of quality which some component companies

were willing to accept. In some cases Jaguar had been rejecting more than 50 per cent of important items. Several suppliers have set up

Several suppliers have set up task forces with Jaguar to bring about a radical improvement in their quality and have accepted that they should be financially accountable for faulty parts.

Mr Egan described poor quality as "the major British disease" and said he had made it his priority. He had identified 210 faults which made Jaguars suffer in comparison with Mercedes-Benz and BMW, the main competitors; and so far 143 had been tackled.

Samples of every batch of

Ford hot

on energy

By Rupert Morris

of some of the biggest gas-guzzlers, is keenly interested in

guzziers, is keenly interested in saving energy.

At its Dagenham plant, in Essex, Ford has built a £1.8m incinerator which will save more than £500,000 s year when it comes into service in 1983.

All the combustible rubbish the plant produces—about 300 tons of wood, paper, cardboard

tons of wood, paper, cardboard and shavings every week—will be burnt, instead of being taken to the nearest dump seven miles

away. The heat generated will

be used to produce steam, which will be piped into the plant

to reinforce the central heating

with heaten in the state of the primary combustion chamber to a temperature between 500 and 600 centigrade, the rubbish undergoes thermal decom-

position and gives off combus-tible gases. These gases are burned in a secondary chamber

and the clean exhaust gases are drawn through a heat ex-

are drawn through a heat ex-changer to produce the steam. By using this system, at least 67 per cent of the calorific value of the rubbish is recov-ered, in the form of steam. Friends of the Earth will surely welcome to their bosom Mr Ken Bowden, general ser-vices manager at Dagenham, who said: "The enormous in-crease in energy prices over the

trease in energy prices over the past few years and the need to make the best use of the earth's

dwindling resources emphasize the need for facilities like this."

Over the past 12 months, Ford of Britain claims to have saved £1.4m with similar energy con-

**SAFRICAN** 

STEEL RISE

CRITICIZED

From Our Correspondent
Johannesburg, July 5
South Africa's steel producers
are dissatisfied with that
nation's decision to increase
steel prices by 12 per cent.
The price increase also de-

The price increase also de-livered a hard knock to the

South African economy, already suffering from the effects of a plummeting gold price. It appears that the Government

will have to take drastic steps soon to try to halt inflation, which is running at nearly 16.

During the campaign leading to the general election in April.

the opposition Progressive Federal Party campaigned with the

slogan that to vote now for the ruling Nationalists was to pay

The prediction appears to be

coming true. Economists calcu

Same that an average price of \$400 an ounce for gold over a full year will wipe out 4.000m Rand from the balance of payments and cut 1,500m Rand

finance minister, who before the general election announced

a wide range of pay increases for civil servants, teachers,

nurses and policemen, is ex-pected to take most of it back

in his main budget on August 12.

from tax revenue.

Mr Owen Horwood,

servation schemes.

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Mr Egan: shocked by poor standards in the industry

onitoring, rejection rates have monitoring, rejection rates have fallen on some items from more than 50 to less than 1 per cent. To improve quality within its plants, Jaguar has introduced the Japanese concept of quality circles. These are groups of shop stewards, supervisors, inspectors and production workers who meet regularly to locate problems.

workers who meet regularly to locate problems.

Mitsul, Jaguar's Japanese distributor, has made several visits to the Coventry factory to discuss quality, particularly in relation to the very demanding Japanese market.

Mr Egan claimed that the teething troubles of the Castle Bromwich paint plant had been overcome and that the standard of paintwork had risen drama.

Samples of every batch of Eromwich paint plant had been components are checked by inspectors on delivery, and if they are not up to standard they are returned to the supplier. As a result of this strict at the factory or by the dealer.

# seek new Equity deal

By Our Industrial Staff

wants to renegotiate its contro-versial agreement with Equity, the actors' union. The agree ment has dramatically increased payments to performers in the form of repeat fees for acting

Mr David Wheeler, director of the Institute of Practitioners in Advertising, which negotiates the agreement on behalf of advertising agencies, said: "What we have seen is a situation where the cost of using artists has gone up while there is a squeeze on budgets. The result is that many agencies are casting commercials with a smaller cast and in that sense it is not in the best interests of actors

and actresses themselves." The agreement, introduced in February 1979, began a system of payment which increased the minimum repeat fees for performers the more commercials were screened and

Studio payments have risen sharply in the last two years, and consequently further inflated the minimum repeat fees due under the agreement. The institute's council likely to discuss a proposal in September which would mandate the organization to renegotiate the repeat fees section of the agreement. It has been looking at new methods of payments which would be related to the audi-

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done in commercials.

related minimum fees to studio

### Mexico retaliates on French oil cut

Paris, July 5.—Mexico yesterday excluded all French companies excluded all French companies from Mexican economic projects because of the refusal by France's Total oil company to pay more for its crude supplies. Industrial circles here greeted the move with surprise and consternation. The Foreign Ministry The confederation wants expenditure restructured to reduce the cost to the CAP in a way that better benefits the British farmer and ensures a better balance between agriculture and industry in Community spending. The CBI wants resources freed in this way to go to the regional and social funds, which directly benefit industry.

played down the affair.

On Thursday, Total decided it would not pay Mexico's \$2 a barrel price increase, and suspended shipments for three months.

Sources said that Total — about a third of which is owned by the French government — was considering halving its shipwas considering natural its sing-ments from Pemex, the Mexican national oil company, even-before the price increase. The French company has bought 100,000 barrels a day from Mexica.

Mexican oil deliveries proved particularly valuable to France last year after the outbreak of the Iran-Iraq war.

French industry was worried about the future of projects under way in Mexico, valued at more than 5,000m French francs (£450m). They include the Mexico Ciry underground railway, nuclear reactors, and Renault car factories.

These projects were men-

These projects were men-tioned by Senor Andres de Oreyza, Mexican minister of industrial development, in his statement announcing the anti-French measures.—Agence France-Presse. France-Presse.

France-Presse,

Total is one of five foreign
buyers who have suspended or
cancelled oil purchases from
Mexico because of the price
increase and the world surplus.

(AB and Bauter write) (AP and Reuter write.)
The suspensions total about 410,000 barrels a day and are

costing Mexico about \$13.2m daily. Mexico gets about \$0 per cent of its foreign revenue from oil. Mexican offers to Japan and

Canada to buy the resulting surplus have gone unheeded. Both were clamouring for more Mexican oil a few months ago. The loss is fueling more rumours of a devaluation and may lead Pemex, the state-owned petroleum monopoly, to reconsider a proposed increase large offices around Britain.

Increases in office salaries during the review year kept pace with inflation up to September last year but as the recession hit the private sector many office workers fell by about 2 per cent below the all-

owned petroleum monopoly, to reconsider a proposed increase in the price of its heavy grade crude from \$28 to \$30.

Exxon of the United States ennounced that it will stop buying Mexican oil. Exxon had a contract permitting it to buy up to 175,000 barrels a day. Shell Oil said it was considering a similar move. ing a similar move.

India also have suspended or reduced purchases of Mexican crude since June 1. The suspensions have clipped Mexican oil exports by about

one third.
Although oil industry sources Arthough oil industry sources are reporting the price increase as final, a Pemex spokesman said the group was still negotiating with customers. Mr Rokusuke Tanaka, the Japanese international trade minister, said Japan was unable to import additional Mexican crude oil because its storage North West Scotland

# many office workers fell by about 2 per cent below the allemployees national average earnings level. Typists have done marginally less well for salary, increases The North which the survey ascribes partly to the strength of the oil industry. Office Salaries Analysis 1981: Institute of Administrative Management, 205 High Street, Beckenham, Kent BR3 1BA, £65. **RUNGS ON THE PAY LADDER**

<u> </u>	(Present annua	i earnings -	<b>–€)</b>	
	Typist	Senior typist/ secretary	Senior secretary	Executive secretary
United Kingdom Greater London South East East Anglia South West West Midlands Fast Midlands Yorkshire and	3,585 4,013 3,751 3,867 3,467 3,314 3,279	4,177 4,677 4,372 4,286 4,108 3,669 3,867	4,751 5,087 4,906 4,750 4,857 4,027 4,109	5,481 5,756 6,681 — 4,868.
Humbersida North West Scotland	3,384 3,753 3,519	3,745 4,083 4,191	4,325 4,277 4,800	4,864 5,344 5,458

# Oppenheim rules out tourism aid

Mrs Oppenheim also offered no hope of relief on the price of petrol

British economy as an invisible export earner is close to that of North Sea oil, according to Mrs Sally Oppenheim, Minister of State at the Department of Trade. But Mrs Oppenheim, in an interview published in the latest edition of British Travel News, the British Tourist Auth-

Tourism's importance to the

ority magazine, ruled out any immediate government aid. In particular, Mrs Oppenheim opposed the recent suggestion of Sir Henry Marking, the tourist authority's charman, that there should be a prefer-ential rate of value-added tax for hotels to encourage extra

ence for each commercial. At present fees are made on a flat rate system for each advertisement regardless of whether it is shown during a peak period.

Equity has indicated that it is willing to discuss a new repeat fees structure.

Visitors.

"I don't think there is the slightest prospect of a special rate," she said. "You have still got a lower rate of VAT in this country than in many European countries and our VAT is lower than the sales tax in many states in the United States."

Tourists from Europe are paying about the same price for petrol in their own countries. As far as British motor-

ists are concerned, travelling, say, from London to the West Country, the extra cost of the journey will be about £1.50. When that extra cost is soread across the whole family, it is very little indeed compared for example, with the rail fare." Mrs Oppenheim said that standards within the industry compared with anything in most parts of the world, and Britain's reputation as a high-cost destination was unwarranted.

"The fact is that tourism must be accorded its full status as an industry of absolutely major importance. People in a world in which service incountry which has, in times dustries are growing and
historical, relied tremendously tourism itself will become inon manufacturing industry creasingly important as leisure
must now recognize that we are



moving into a different world, a world in which service in-

### Developing countries' mounting debt prompts calls for reform Danger signs in international loans system From Frank Vogl, Washington, July 5

The international debts of other nations with the misfortune to have continually to reschedule debts are going to

developing nations have quad-rupled to more than \$400,000m in the last decade and the pre-sent total is likely to treble this decade. Commercial bankers are confident that the debt mountain is manageable and they stress that loan losses on international business have been far smaller than on domestic business.

This confidence reflects the rather astonishing fact that in the last 25 years there have been no more than 16 debt negotiations for just nine coun-tries and total losses from international lending to governments have been no more than \$2,000m.\$4,000m.

But the situation could become critical, and there are too many warning signs for comfort. Just the other day the representatives of Zaire were once again at the International Monetary Fund agreeing to a stabilization programme and obtaining more than \$1,000m to keep their economy going. Peru and Turkey and no

be back for more cash soon.

The bankers are now aware The bankers are now aware that 22 developing countries are in arrears on fully \$5,500m of debt repayments. And the Polish situation is disturbing, especially when the quite fantastic growth of Poland's debt to the West is seen—from \$1,000m in 1971 to \$8,000m in 1975 to more than \$25,000m today with scant hope of swift reduction of this sum. reduction of this sum. The debt questions facing international lenders are bound

become more serious and debt renegotiations more com-mon. Part of the problem is that the present system of debt renegotiations is a ridiculous one, says Dr Chandra Hardy, a the end of 1977 from \$800m to more than \$3,500m. But the biggest difficulties senior executive at the World for the developing countries probably rest with the official creditors. When nations are Bank, on leave at the Overseas Development Council to

forced to renegotiate official credits, the Paris Club, as it is examine the problems of rescheduling... credits, the Paris Club, as it is the issuing of more in an initial report on this called, meets at the French periods for interest periodal subject Dr Hardy leaves Treasury. This group consists on debt and for more su no doubt that the IMF, only of government officials out of debt maturities

together with the World Bank, from lending nations, and it ought to play a forceful leader meets only after a debt repayship role in securing better ment crisis has developed and international debt management after the debtor nation in and debt rescheduling. These trouble has already agreed stainstitutions have the power and bilization programmes with the influence to bring about greater IMF. Dr. Hardy dotes that the after the debtor habon in trouble has already agreed sta-bilization programmes with the IMF. Dr Hardy dotes that the Paris Club meets too late, and there is no mechanism under which official creditors can take

and they are bound to win the support of the commercial bank lenders. They can avert a crisis.

Dr Hardy notes that one problem for developing countries is that the banks them selves have sometimes used IMF and by banks and official minutent judgment. as she politely calls it, by providing that they sap the economic too much lending too quickly to developing mations. Zaire, for example, built up its external bank debt in the five years to payment trouble. A more logical the end of 1977 from \$800m to system is needed where debtor. system is needed where debtor nations are given a chance to free themselves from their debt

repayment burdens.

More aid is of course one path. Dr Hardy believes there are other courses too, including the issuing of more grace periods for interest payments on debt and for more stretching



CBI seeks better balance between farming and manufacturing

Call for more EEC aid to industry

Sir Terence: CBI lists priorities

for admirting Spain and Portugal into the Community and sees no important obstacle

to Portugal's entry except over low-cost textiles. It urges the Government and the Community to secure promises from Spain to begin reducing tariffs: The CBI is concerned that Community rules might put British and European industries at a disadvantage when competing with non-EEC compress.

The confederation is particularly concerned about trading agreements with Japan. "We attach great importance to the creation of an effective Community position on trade with and investment from Japan", it said.

It is also concerned about the erection of subtle trading barriers within the EEC.

"The presidency should encourage the Commission to investigate, and require member states to eliminate, barriers to trade which amount to disguised national protectionism ", it says,

Britain assumed the presidency of the EEC this month and will hold it until the

# Pressure for mergers as Co-op profits dip

15 per cent fall in profits last year, with a fifth of the societies now hit by trading

Office salaries in the South of England have risen less than those in Scotland and the North, although office staff overall have seen rises of between 15 per cent and nearly 19 per cent in the year ended last March, Typist secretaries are now getting on average in the larger public sector, the larger public arganizations have morthly Salary increases for office workers have been higher in the public sector, the report shows. Rises in the larger public organizations have mostly been between 16 and 24 per cent, the highest increases being losses.

Among the worst affected are Royal Arsenal Co-operative Society and South Suburban Co-operative Society and this has now brought a planned merger between them to an advanced stage. Royal Arsenal had a trading loss of nearly £2m last year and South Suburban nearly £1.5m.

The new South East society 6 per cent or more above the top increases in the private Except for those in the highest supervisory grade, salary rates in central London have not increased as much as those in other parts of the

The new South East society being planned would be the biggest Co-op merger in recent years, creating the second largest retail unit within the movement, with an annual turnover eround £250m.

Greater London and the South East still pay the highest rates in the country but the Midlands has slipped in the salaries table while some office worker grades in Yorkshire and Humberside have been doing better. A series of talks between the two societies are expected to culminate in a decision to put the merger plan to members.

If they give a go-ahead to the merger at late-August meetings the new society could be launched before the year's Scottish typists' salaries are also holding up well against the rates paid in the Midlands and the North which the survey

The move is part of the spate

deeply into profits.

Trading performance at both the societies is now said to be showing improvement but the societies in the societies is now said to be showing improvement but the societies is now said to be showed in the societies in the societies is showing improvement but the

A confidential report circu- provisional results from the lating among the 170 Co-opera- retail societies shows that 34 tive retail societies discloses a societies had trading losses last

year.

Among the larger societies showing a trading loss were Greater Lancastria, which slipped marginally into the red at £110,000 on an increased turnover of £97.6m. The Blackburn society had a £385,000 loss on a turnover of £15m and the Rochdale-based Pioneers society had dale-based Pioneers society had an £86,000 loss on a £29.5m

The decision to draw up detailed merger plans for Royal Arsenal and South Suburban has come after earlier fruitless attempts to set up a South East society whose establishment including several smaller societies is one of the sims

regionalization plan.
This envisages the reduction of the number of societies to less than 30 to tackle the movement's worsening difficulties arising from too great a fragmentation of its retailing

activities. gressively losing market share especially to the big multiple

Royal Arsenal has two superstores operating and South Suburban none, But one to cut costs through rationaliza- of the priorities for the new tion of some services and combined society would be to greater combined resources to speed up plans for building speed up a new store building nine superstores, Mr Normar programme. Brigham, South, Suburban's The move comes as a list of chief executive said.

# Transparent

### Statement During the past year the Company has been

Extracts from Lord Kenyon's

affected no less seriously than other manufacturing companies in Britain by the current recession, and has suffered a reduction in Group earnings before tax from £1,018,038 to £146,121. A token dividend is, therefore, recommended. The unmanageably large increase in the cost

of natural gas had the inevitable effect of forcing the Company's energy intensive transparent paper making factory into losses which, during the second half of the year, were aggravated by the effect of a fall of more than 20% in the price of polypropylene on the market for transparent film. Sales volume of manufactured film was never-

theless maintained, with exports continuing to record an increase. This, however, with the continuing high cost of money and an unexpectedly stronger £ sterling, was at the expense of margins with consequent damage to profit. In converted products, which now account

for 70% of sales, a good increase in turnover was achieved with volume growth in the sales of converted polypropylene, polyester and other specialised films and laminates. Our Associated Company, Seaton Chemical

Developments (Holdings) Limited, has continued to make a useful contribution and confirms last year's forecast that this diversification into the field of specialised chemicals would become increasingly important to Group profitability.

### Principal Activities The Company manufactures and converts transparent

cellulose and plastic film. The products are used in particular as immediate wrappings by the confectionery, tobacco, biscuit, bakery and snack food trades, and for textiles and pharmaceuticals, together with many similar uses.

# 2 per cent INDEX-LINKED

**ISSUE BY TENDER OF £1,000,000,000** PAYABLE AS FOLLOWS:

TREASURY STOCK, 2006

Deposit with tender On Friday, 14th August 1981 £30.00 per cent £30.00 per cent

money

On Friday, 11th September 1981 Balance of purchase INTEREST PAYABLE HALF-YEARLY ON 19TH JANUARY AND

19TH JULY.

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BANK OF ENGLAND

# Steep falls expected for Thorn EMI and Imperial

Chancellor to increase the duty on tobacco by a further 3p has only served to increase the cloud of despondency already cloud of despondency already overhanging tobacco companies.

Some indication of their plight will be in evidence this week when Imperial Group, one of Britain's largest cigaretic manufacturers, lifts the lid on its interim statement. In addition, interim news is expected from Associated Fisheries and Sotheby Parke Bernet, and fullyear figures are due from Thorn EMI on Friday.

The wholesale price index for

The wholesale price index for June from the Department of Industry starts the week off on the economic front today,

### This week

along with the hire purchase and instalment credit business and instantent credit pushess and retail sales for May from the Department of Trade. This is followed tomorrow by the United Kingdom banks' elegible liabilities, reserve assets, reserve ratios and special deposits for mid-fune from the

deposits for mid-June from the Bank of England and the Lon-don clearing banks monthly statement. On Thursday, the Treasury

reports the central government borrowing requirement for June and on Friday the Building Society Association reports its monthly intake of funds. Associated Fisheries interim Associated Fisheries' interim figures on Wednesday have set quite a poser for the analysts. The group recorded a loss during the second half last year of £633,000, which almost wiped out the group's profits for the year as a whole.

However, the optimism shown at the annual meeting when the chairman, Mr H, K, Fitzgerald, told shareholders that the group was now trading at a

group was now trading at a profit, suggest the worst is over. There is unlikely to be any repetition of the £670,000

four per cent increase over 1980, and was due to higher selling prices. Net income during the

period showed a 7 per cent in-

Best-ever opening

SECOND SUPPLEMENT TO PROSPECTUS

2 per cent INDEX-LINKED

TREASURY STOCK, 1996

behalf of Her Majesty's Treasury, the Bank of England announce that the prospectus for the above Spick data of the restrictions contained in the prospectus for the above Spick date of March 1981 (as amended by the Irst supplement dated 18th Mirch 1981; the Prospectus ") have been modified in the manner set out below so as to vide that any holding of Stock may be registered in the name of a nomine termed acting on behalf of an Eligible Holder.



Mr Malcolm Anson, chairman of Imperial Group (left), and Sir Richard Cave of Thorn EML

Profit estimates range from £45m to £58m compared with £68m last time.

As expected the 14 per cent increase in tobarco revenue since March has meant a 10 to 12 per cent drop in consumer demand. At the annual meeting, Mr Malcolm Anson, the chairman, pointed out that the first half would be tough but expected. half would be fough but expec-ted some recovery in the second half. Unfortunately early calculations after last Thursday's latest increase sug-cest the second half could be every bit as bad as the first, wiping our any benefit from he pre-Budget stocking up.

Full-year figures to March 31 free due on Friday from Thorn MK, headed by Sir Richard lave, and the market is looking for a substantial fall in pretax profits from £125.5m to around 1900 hours around district from £125.5m to around 1900 hours a 30m, but a maintained divi-

TV rental will provide the bulk of profits. The rest of the group has borne some hefty redundancy costs, but for which profits would be nearer £110m. With comparatively few jobs left to be shed this year, but little pick-up in trade expected, profits in 1981-82 are thought to be heading for that £110m. any repetition of the £670,003 redundancy costs, which saw the fleet reduced from 50 with comparatively few jobs vessels to only 39. But a lot will depend on the performance of its still depressed fishing interests, which make up the bulk of the group's activities.

Imperial Group's interim statement on Thursday is unlikely to make pleasant reading, with profits sharply reduced and the industry as a whole redundancy costs, but for which redundancy costs, but for which profits would be nearer fillom. With comparatively few jobs left to be shed this year, but comparatively few jobs left to be shed this year, but comparatively few jobs left to be shed this year, but comparatively few jobs left to be shed this year, but little pick-up in trade expected, profits in 1981-82 are thought to be heading for that £110m mark pretax. But a rights issue is also expected later this year, to cover the group's heavy investment in the promising video market, unless the other market improve sharply.



admitting to a severe blow TODAY-Interims: None an-from the Chancellor's revenue nounced. Finals: Associated Leisure, Eastern Produce (Hold-ings), James Latham, May and

Hassall, Mercantile House, Hold-ings, Ropner Holdings, and R. W. Toothill. TOMORROW-Interims: Lin TOMORROW—Interims: Lincroft Kilgour Group, Lonsdale Universal, Donald Macpherson Group, and Winterbottom Energy Trust. Finals: Birmingham Mint, Fairdale Textiles, Highgare Optical and Industrial, Imperial Continental Gas, Intasum Leisure Group, Marston, Thompson and Evershed, and R. Kelvin Watson.

WEDNESDAY—Interims: Associated Ticheries Homfray and

ciated Fisheries, Homfray and Co., M. and G. Dual Trust, North Atlantic Securities Corp., and Oakwood Group, Finals: H. P. Bulmer Holdings, Caledonian Associated Cinemas, Capital
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Reserve Fund, Hollas Group,
Radiant Metal Finishing, Routledge and Kegan Paul, and John
Waddington.
THURSDAY—Interims: Green-

fields Leisure, Imperial Group, Sonic Sound Audio Holdings, Soiheby Parke Bernet Group, and Watson and Phillip. Finals: Batleys of Yorkshire, Braith-waite and Co Engineers, British Fuilding and Engineering Armli-Building and Engineering Appli-races, Greene, King and Sons, Kinta Kellas Rubber Estates, Mitchell Somers, Montague L. Meyer, A. Monk, Oil and Asso-liated Targettagnet Target riated Investment Trust.

FRIDAY—Interims: Cronite
Group. Finals: Ashley Industrial Trust, James H. Dennis,
Highgate and Job. Lennons
Group and Thorn EMI.

Warning

### from LCP quarter for Monsanto chairman

Monsanto's first-quarter sales, net income and earnings a share were records for the group.

Net sales in the first three months of 1981 were \$1,900m (about £1,050m). This showed a resins, chemical intermediates four per cent increase over 1980 and industrial chemicals all L.C.P. Holdings, the construction-to-vehicle distribution

group, has warned that several of its divisions are still facing difficult trading conditions.

Mr David Rhead, the chairman, said in his annual statement that the immediate outshowed a decline in comparison with the same quarter last year. Last year, Mousanto's income look facing many sectors of the United Kingdom economy is not promising. "In particular, the builders, merchanting, con-struction and metals operations crease from \$164.2m to \$176m fell from \$331m to \$148.8m, while earnings a share went while sales rose slightly from \$4.53 to \$4.81.

Mr John Hanley, chairman, result, Monsanto pulled out of the sales are the sales are the sales rose slightly from \$6,573.6m. As a metal of the sales are facing difficult conditions the contribution from fuel distribution activities will do well to maintain lass year's level and the property development programme is being restrained at a lower rate than in previous the group was pleasing and par-ticularly the textiles operation, which moved into the black and recorded its best quarter since to full Spanish ownership.

More financial news, page 20

He added that the serious lack of confidence brought on by the recession has affected the West Midlands in many of its traditional areas of strength and L.C.P. cannot escape unscathed.

customer resistance in entering into new long-term commit-ments and the impact of rationalisation and retrench-ment are giving rise to an over-supply of industrial property which will take one or two years to absorb, he said. But he added that the stream

lined and improved vehicle distribution facilities and the supply of replacement autosupply of replacement autoparts were showing the first
signs of some recovery in
demand. In France, the group
expects a year of consolidation
in uncertain market conditions
and through Whitlock in the
United States there should be
an improved performance from
the increasing investment.

# construction hold stage

Overseas traders, food shares and construction companies attracted most coverage in brokers reports published this

Traders,

foods and

Carr Sebag and Fielding Newson-Smith have published clashing views of BP's shares now that the rights issue is

Carr Sebag says BP's shares are an unattractive investment with clouds still gathering over its oil products and chemical operations, while Fielding, Newson-Smith thinks the shares have now reached their low and sees a buying opportunity here
—akthough it remains less than
ecstatic about the immediate future of the company,

Montagu, Loebl, Stanley has brought out a package in praise of overseas traders, which it expects to come back into fashion again as commodity prices recover. However, it is time to realize at least some

### Brokers' views

profits in Guthrie, Paterson Zochonis and Steel Brothers after recent strength, and invest instead in S & W Berisford and Hanson Trust, the report concludes. If you want income it suggests Lourho and Mitchell

Feeds and seeds group Pauls & Whites gets a buy recommendation from Philips & Drew, which expects profits of f9.8m from the group this year and f11m in 1982-83. Dividends too are expected to progress upwards, to 10.3p. gross this year and 11.3p gross in 1982.83. Turning to food manufac-tured for human consimption in various forms, Capel Care Myers has put Tate & Lyle under the microscope and come up with a short-term hold

recommendation—with an increase in the final dividend looked for, to give 16.4p gross this year, after three years without change, without change.

Profits for the year to September 30 are estimated at £31m against actual pre-tax profits of £28m last year. But in a year's time the shares should be offloaded, the report says, with Capel-Cure's analyst convinced that the long-term outlook for the came sugar group is poor.

Associated British Foods also

Associated British Foods also gets a hold recommendation from Phillips & Drew Profits of £135m are looked for this year, against the £115m pretar made in 1980-81, and dividends should come out at 6.2p gross against 5.9p, the circular says. ABF's share of the food retailing market is expected to rise and boost profits in spite of the dull retailing background and fair progress is expected from Australian and South

African interests. : Still on foods, Charlton Seal Dimmock has cast an eye over Hazelwood Foods and decided it is a buy for long-term investment. A 40-pius jump in in 1930-81 is expected to be fol-lowed by a 46 per cent jump this year to £1.5m after the purchase of Manor Vinegar Brewery at the end of March. Moving on, Allied Breweries is a buy, according to Phillips & Drew, with pre-tax profits expected to rise from £112.4m to £129m this year, following substantial cost savings. Dutch beer

interests are expected to loss only £2m this year, against l'st year's £5.4m loss, and every-thing else is forecast to do better. Construction group Higgs and Hill is recommended by Rowe & Pitman, following its 1980 profits recovery. Pre-tax profits of £2.8m against £2.1m are fore-

of £2.8m against £2.1m are fore-cast for this year and the divi-dend should jump from 6.86p gross to 8p gross, the circular says. Property rental is ex-pected to grow steadily, and the balance sheet is strong. Northern Irish builder Northern Irish builder McLaughlin & Harvey is also a buy, at Capel-Cure Myers, with a reasonable order book and another strong balance sheet. Laurie Milbank has looked at Blue Circle Industries, and de-cided it is attractive in spite of a poor United Kingdom market, particularly if investors want a slice of the Mexican building

Catherine Gunn

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**Business** appointments

# Rank Xerox director of corporate affairs

Mr John Drew is the new director of corporate allairs for Rank Xerex.

Mr Howard W. Dalton, former exploration manager for the Africa and Middle East region of Amoco Production Company in Houston, Texas, has been appointed managing director of Amoco (UK) Exploration Company, replacing Mr A. E. Piper, who has returned to the United States.

Mr J. E. Sparkes has been named an assistant director of Winchester Bowring.

Mr Don Alexander has been

Winchester Bowring.
Mr. Don Alexander has been appointed director for research and development at DD Lamson.
Mr. Stephen K. Palmer has been promoted from account director to assistant managing director of the Quentin Bell Organisation and Miss Joanne Anderson becomes a director.

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Mr Richard Ford, marketing director of Currys (Retail), and Mr Roger Dickinson, a main hoard director of Currys and managing director of CGS, have been named directors of Carousel Colourhire, the Currys TV and video rental operation, and Mr Arthur Murray, managing director of Carousel Colourhire, joins the Currys board.

Mr John Oliver Roberts is to join the British Printing Industries Federation as director general on October 1, after last month's retirement of Mr Henry Kendall as director.

director.
Mr Alan Jennings has joined the board of C. R. Driver and Company.

Mr Alan H. Cherry becomes Mr Alan H. Cherry Decomes chairman of Countryside Properties, succeeding Mr S. Bobroff, the founder chairman, who remains an executive director. Mr Cherry continues as group managing director. Mr James A. Paterson has been appointed a non-executive director of Givnwed. Mr Paterson is a director of Rio Tinto Zinc Corporation and chairman and chief executive of RTZ Industries. Ms Christine Downton has been made a director of County Bank.
Mr Oliver Pawie becomes an assistant director. Mr C. I. Powell has been appointed an associate director of Bradstock, Blunt (Northern).

Mr A. Sidney Rosen becomes managing director of FIBI Financial Trust.

Mr Geoffrey Dodge has been made a partner of Debenham Ten-son and Mr Michael Russell and Mr Alan Williams have been made associates. Mr J. R. Sciater has been appointed a director of the Union Discount Company. Mr Sciater is the managing director of Nordic

Mr Roderick Balfour has been appointed a managing director of Jassel. Toyobee & Co with effect from September 7th. He will resign from the partnership of Grieveson Grant & Co on July 31. Mr D. J. Beales and Mr J. E. F. Rushworth have become partners in Slaughter and May.

Brokers' vie

BY THE FINANCIAL EDITOR

# Index-linked stock: second time round

When the Government launched its first latest accounting periods while the stores index-linked gilts issue back in March, I doubt that it intended to produce a second issue before late summer or early autumn. But the financial background has changed considerably since then and, in the circumsrances, a second index-linked issue looks the obvious rabbit to pull out of the hat. A similarly-dated conventional fixed-interest issue would probably have needed a 14 per cent coupon and, say, a 142 per cent gross redemption yield to stand any chance at all of getting off the stocks at present and even then the authorities would probably have been running a greater risk of being left with stock than they will with the proposed tender (with no minimum price) for the index-linked Issue.

That said, it is going to be interesting to see how pension fund managers approach the new issue. What does seem clear is that they are going to get the new stock on a yield rather closer to the 2½ per cent or so that many have consistently said was more appropriate to their needs; and with the prospect now that a third issue could follow the second before the end of the year, there seems limited incentive to bid too

It must, however, be right for most funds to make sure they now have some indexlinked stock locked away given the increased uncertainty over the inflationary outlook over the next year or so. There may be suggestions around that the Government prevent sterling falling much further and raise interest rates again if it feels this to be necessary to defend the gains made so far on the inflation from It may also be that patience will soon be rewarded by a fall in United States interest rates and a recovery in conventional fixed-interest gilts. But the risk/reward ratio still favours some weighting in index-linked protection—at the right

How healthy are our engineering companies D After an unhelpful Budget, the business upturn has faltered; interest rate hopes have receded; a cash-call queue stretches into the Autumn, arousing fears about industry's pressing need for money; and Department of Industry figures for the first quarter of the year indicated a worsening in liquidity. To offset these fears and disappointments, there are huge manpower cuts, the continuing prosperity of subsidiaries abroad, and the impact on margins implied by a pound now sliding against most key currencies. And wages, at least until the autumn round of hargaining, seem to be under control. The Government's failure to curb money supply, implied by its unconcern about uncollected tax, should in time be reflected in demand. Once out-put recovers, profits from companies with plenty of surplus capacity should

But too much of this relates to the future. For the present, last year's pounding has meant a stream of financial casualties, among them Weir Group, Stone Platt, Myson, Duport and Chloride. But research into engineers' borrowing ratios by Savory Milln pinpoints precisely these companies as those which entered the recession with nien borrowine ratios. .They ranged from 126 per cent in the case.

of Weir Group to 76 per cent at Chloride. They were also exceptional. Engineers entered the recent recession with balance. sheets much stronger than in 1974. Borrowing ratios have fallen because deferred tax provisions have been put to reserves. Engineers were quick to run down stocks, and seem to have improved management controls. The slide in the pound does not. of itself imply a need for bigger stocks to finance; it simply improves margins. Once demand does improve, better productivity should in any case do wonders for cash flow. The brokers' research also shows that some companies actually reduced borrowing ratios usefully last year. Among them were: APV, Amalgamated Power, Bestobell, Expanded Metal, Hall Engineering, Laird Group and Senior Engineering. This was not a bad outcome for the severest recession since 1945.

Retailers

### **Tougher times** ahead

With real disposable incomes continuing to rise until recently and many consumers. spared much impact from the recession, the retailing sectors, and food retailers in particular, have escaped the savage drop in profitability experienced by manufacturing industries. Food retailers, with notable exceptions such as Tesco, have generally maintained or increased profits during the tionary spending—have still fared well com-pared with industrial sectors although profits—again with exceptions such as Marks

Spencer—have generally slipped. This pattern has been reflected on the stock market where over the past year food retailers have outperformed the market by 38 per cent. Stores have underperformed by 2 per cent, remembering, of course, the market itself has risen by nearly one-fifth. There are signs, though, that the climate may be worsening for retailers. Recent prog-

nostications from Mothercare and British Home Stores have suggested as much and with real disposable incomes now beginning to fall the outlook for consumer spending looks considerably worse than a year ago. Indeed one of the few grounds for optimism on this score is that the savings ratio will

But with demand in many areas likely to be static or falling, price inflation much lower than a year ago, but public sector costs such as rates and energy continuing their inexorable rise, it is not hard to picture retailers encountering much tougher conditions in 1981 than 1980.

In such a climate, food retailers are likely to retain many of their defensive attractions. Although the rise in the volume of national food sales in each of the three years to the end of 1980 is likely to have come to an end, total volumes are unlikely to change much and the successful companies such as Sainsbury, which has been steadily increasing market share and has little exposure to non-foods, should continue to show the best profit performance. Indeed, Sainsbury last week reported a good start to its year with volume showing an increase over the comparable period a year ago.

The stores have, of course, already had a more difficult ride than the food retailers and are also likely to suffer more as the squeeze on the consumer tightens. Stocks are lower than a year ago and internal economies such as labour reductions arguably leave them better placed, but the trend in profits may well be flat and again the quality, stocks such as Marks & Spencer look most likely to buck this trend.

Gold shares

### Set for a recovery

Gold shares look set for a recovery. After reaching the year's "low" of 263 a week ago, the FT gold mines index put on another 17 points by Friday. Gold fell for most of the week, but its weakness was offset by the realization that gold share yields were climbing back towards 20 per cent. Prices also firmed in the face of the imminent South African quarterlies, while the legal consummation and listing of the Driefontein supermine" was a reminder of the industry's essential strength.

A sustained recovery must, of course, be based on the gold price and not on technical changes in the market. The price steadied on Friday, but that probably owed much to holiday in America, Despite the abounding bearish sentiment—a sign that the trend is about to reverse, if one adhers to the school of contrary thinking-it seems unlikely that gold will fall far or for long below \$400 an ounce. At \$400, gold mine yields are

Plainly, a low gold price can depress dividends and so yields. Since the average price during the last quarter was probably below expectations, and was distorted by the recent sharp fall, the June payouts could be less than anticipated. As usual, the marginal mines will suffer most.

But if the gold price bounces back quickly, future divideads will give good yields on shares bought now. The argument is illustrated by what happens to Vaal Reefs, the core of any South African gold share: portfolio, at different gold prices. Taking the next two dividends on an average price of \$400 an ounce, the ner yield is 12.1 per cent. At \$500, however, the net yield is 15.2 per cent

The same argument applies a fortiori to marginal mines. But the danger here is that costs are also rising. The June increase in white and black mineworkers' wages will be particularly noticeable in the next couple of quarters and electricity and capital costs grow remorselessly. The combination of low gold and high costs has forced Loraine back onto state assistance and others such as Durban Deep and East Rand Proprietary are struggling. The marginals are still a gamble on a big and permanent gold price recovery."

But some of the major quality mines, by contrast, now combine good gearing with reliable dividends.

The summer clearance sales, now well into their stride, are offering the shopper discounts of up to a third — or even a half-off, especially in goods like

half-off, especially in goods like menswear and women's fashion-wear where trade has been languishing. Electrical goods, still trading poorly, are another area for bargain hunters.

This is good for the consumer. It is a different story for the retailer. What to the shopper is a bargain is often, for the retailer, just a manifestation of the problems he has experienced in the previous six months. Slack sales lines are offered at gibe-away prices.

The pressures on retailers are building up. For some survival is at stake.

Three critical pressures are

Three critical pressures are bearing down on the retailers. First, costs are rising, particularly because of local authority

Secondly, profit margins are being squeezed as mark-ups intended to keep pace with rising costs fail to stick. Finally, although most re-tailers have learned bitter lessons about the need to keep

stock levels to a minimum another related problem has emerged: choosing the right stock. With many items even price-conscious customers are buying quality with an eye to shoppers would inevitably go for economy lines.

Faced with these pressures at

Faced with these pressures at this pivotal point in the retail year, store groups are asking themselves two questions. One is: have the July sales lost their impact in the wester of almost continuous high street promotions over the past year. The July clearances are crucial in enabling shops to smooth out their stock flows but some department stores are reporting that the traditional first-day rush of bargain hunters is simply not there. simply not there.
In some areas. Saturdays,

usually heavy tracing days dur-ing the sales, look no more busy than they would be on a normal weekend.

The second question is: now for trade will hold up during the rest of the year? Predictably nobody has a conclusive answer. They are simply keeping their ingers crossed and hoping problems do not get any worse.
Cost pressures have grown in
the last few months. They in
clude the increasing price of
motor fuel, a big factor in esalesale sale sales

Bargain buys in London's Victoria: record discounts in spite of cost pressures.

The mid-year round of high street sales is in full swing. Derek Harris reports

# Little summer cheer for the shopkeepers

overall distribution costs; the Chancellor's diesel fuel oil concession will ease that a little.

But it is the increases in local authority rates, some in single figures but others rising 30 per cent or more, which have brought a spare of complaints to the Retail Consortium, the retail industry's rade body. The consortium is purting together a case to putting together a case to present to Mr Michael Heseltine, Secretary of State for the Environment, asking for his

elp. . Scotland and many parts of ondon and the Midlands seem London and the Midlands seems
to be worst hit, says the consortium. In two years rates as
a percentage of retailers'
profits have gone from 11 per
cent to not far short of 20 per
cent. In Sootland the comparable figures are 23 per tent
and an extraordinary 80 per
tent.

Mr Alastair Robertson, managing director of the Edinburgh store of the John Lewis Parthership (a group which is trad-ing relatively buoyantly this

It is the same at Rackhams in Birmingham, a House of Fraser store. It adds the grim warding that further increases will not be sustainable and will lead to the firm warding that the sustainable and will lead to the firm of the sustainable. cuts in staff.
The Retail Consortium says

that the volume of trading is un just over 2 per cent on last year but cost pressures have almost certainly cancelled out any benefits. Retailers may still be as hadly off in profitability terms as in the second half of last year when profits were

down 21 per cent.

Mr Robert Lyons, chairman of United Draperies Stores department stores division which includes the Allders and Arding & Hobbs outlets as wellas regional stores, says': there is a pattern as we go into the July sales it is that mar-gins are under a lot of pres-

It is UDS which plans to

summer) says that rates are his worst problem. The local authorities will kill off a lot of businesses if they do not get it right. Close Whiteley's store in Bayswarer, west London in the authorities will kill off a lot of businesses if they do not get it other West. End stores it has suffered from the drop in forcing towards the drop in foreign tourist trade and partly because of the counter attrac-tion for shoppers of suburban shopping centres like Brent Cross, Croydon and Romford.

> taking more money than last year "but less than we would Mr Robert Colquiton, nor-thern sales director of the House of Fraser group covering 35 stores to Scotland, says that with a lot of pressure on mar-gins overheads are continually

Mr. Lyons says his stores are

having to be pared. "Stock levels must be carefully controlled and we cannot afford to sir with high stocks paying interest rates of up to 18 per cent just to have things hanging on the rail. Buying programmes are also stringently controlled." For them local authority rate demands have

total gloom. One factor is now emerging which could belp retailers keep trade flowing. There has in the past two months been a tendency among some manufacturing suppliers either cut prices or hold

them steady.

There has been, for example, virtually no inflation in footwear trade prices for months. Selfridge's in Oxford Street, part of Sears Holdings whose department stores chain also includes Lewis's outlets, says this has helped them maintain keen pricing.

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There have also been divitible stock mix right. Jenner's on Edinburgh's Princes Street found sale customers buying more expensively, particularly on electrical goods, cutlery, silverware and jewellery.

While personal savings levels remain high retailers are surprised at the amount of money customers are spending. The retail sales index has stayed above the comparable level of last year as far as the end of May.

of May.

The John Lewis Partnership

70 weeks to

returns for the 20 weeks to June 20 show department store sales by value to be 10.1 per cent ahead of the same period last year, a rise above the rate of inflation in the sector, In the week ended June 20 the sales, at the group's 19 stores were 13.3 per cent up on last

year.
This has led the Retail Consortium. Fingers crossed, to hope for trading volume to stey up until the year end. It could be too sanguine a view and is be too sanguine a view and is certainly not shared by some individual retailers:

Average earnings growth continues to decline and the deflationary effects of the Budget are still coming through, it is pointed out.
A fall of at least 2 to 3 per

cent in retail sales volume in the coming month, is being forecast by Capel-Cure Myers, the stockbrokers. They believe some retailers may have been lulled by a consensus view-hope is a better descriptionthat the recession has bottomed out, allied to expectations that the royal wedding will inject retailing excitement.

Disappointing sales trends in the second half of this year are, on the contrary, probable, with a serious impact on retail pro-fits, say the brokers.

Certainly if retailers can maintain trade volumes they

will be doing well; but margins

But for those acting together

by sgreement, sufficient evidance for a successful prosecu-

# Can law silence the concert parties? it literally did not know the names of people who owned an estimated 30 per cent of its

By our financial staff - - -

Mr Harry Oppenheimer, the South African businessman and Mr. Ghafar Baba the Malaysian politician have done much to change the face of British

company law.

Tomorrow s House of Commons committee debates draft legislation designed to prevent a recourrence of their share-building activities in United

Kingdom companies:

Mr Oppenheimer, built a sizable stake in Consolidated Goldfields through three companies in which he had an interest. The result was a Department of Trade investigation was a size of the control o tion whose conclusions stopped just short of alleging a "con-

cert party."

Mr Baba disclosed his stake in tyre giant Dunlop fellowing a Department of Trade inspectors attempts to establish the identity of Faw Eastern holders of nearly a third of the group's shares. Dunlop called in the department after its own in-

department efter its own in-quiries drew a blank. Included in the 43 clauses now tabled as amendments to the Companies Bill 1981 are measures drawn up by the Department of Trade between March and May which should give companies more protection against those who want to build stakes of any kind while wish-ing to remain in the shadows or totally anonymous.

The Royal Assent should be

given to the Bill in November given to the Bill in November and the clauses are likely to become law early next year. Concert party legislation covers those buyers, who by agreement and mutual reliance, buy shares separately to be used as one total holding at some later date. At one point proposals to include concert parties in the Bill water ruled out he the date. Bill were ruled out by the de-partment because they argued it would be difficult to phrase' legislation water-tight enough for successful prosecution. But the City and some politicians argued that regulatory action

was needed.
The new proposals hinge on. the existing law which states

that a shareholder must declare loophole but feels that if it whether these measures will his holding when it reaches 5 becomes a regular practice then give the department an effective per cent of the issued voting it is prepared to look again at the legislation. Whether these measures will give the department an effective way to police share-buying is still open to debate.

No matter how many people buy shares in a particular company, providing they habe agreement they are acting together, (which the clauses defines as mutual reliance) they must make a declaration when their aggregate holding tops 5 per cent. They must then detail the beneficial owners and the num-ber of shares held by each person to the agreement, in writing.

Any change in the agreement must also be notified to the company in writing.

The deciaration must be made up to five days after the acquisition of the shares which takes the percentage holding above 5 per cent. The amendments say that the responsibility is on each of those acting together to ensure that each knows the aggregate holding in a company. Exceptions to this are made for a recognized bank or deposit taker, the Trustee Savins Bank, the National Giro Bank and members of the Stock Exchange.
Any of these could hold an eggregate in excess of 5 per cent of a company but without any mutual reliance between the

The declaration must be made

any mutual reliance between the individual beneficial owners.

Exceptions are also made for investment advisors, providing they merely recommend shares without an agreement which inight involv holding the shares for a pre-determined time.

their own investigation into share ownership will be able to going back three years.

They will not be able to question, those who might be able to give them information, for example stockbrokers. It

What the Act does not cover is the case where two or more people decide to act together, and the procure a third to buy shares without informing him of any agreement. This was of any agreement. This was the something the City felt should minority bolders with a minimose towered but it seems that the mum of 10 per cent of the department has not been per voting capital to request that a suadd that this represents an company should start an investigation into share ownership princhases. The department providing they can show sufficient grounds.

Those who trangress the rules are certainly going to get more than the stern ticking off from the authorities which they could have expected up until now.

Groups acting together which fall to notify their stake are fall to notify their stake are liable to an unlimited fine Shares of close relatives like spouse, infant child or step child-would automatically be counted

Those companies suspecting that large blocks of shares are being built up without nay dis-closure of indentity—using nominee names—can now : netition the courts to freeze those shares, dpriving thm of vots. dividends and the power to

Companies would have the same power as the Secretary of State and even when a mystery owner declares himself, the freeze on the shares could only be lifted if it could be shown there had been no unfair advantage by staying unidentified, or for the sale of the shares.

But companies conducting their own investigation into

for example stockbrokers. It was fest by the Stock Exchange that a determined mystery shere dealer would merely use a broker basedoutside the United

Kingdom.

The clauses also allow minority bolders with a mini-

tion could almost be as hard to: Certainly companies would no find as that needed for insider dealing. That become illegal-just over a year ago but no "insider dealing" case has yet been brought to court. longer have to face the kind of humiliating position which Dunlop found itself in where the board said at one point that

**OCEAN WILSONS** 

(HOLDINGS) LIMITED SALIENT POINTS FROM THE CHAIRMAN'S REVIEW

The accounting date of the Company has been changed to 31st December, and the accounts now presented cover the eleven month period ended on that date. Comparative figures are for the year ended 31st January 1980.

The results for the eleven months to 31st December 1980 show a profit before taxation of £3,217,000 (£2,958,000) and after tax of £1,236,000 (£1,482,000). The reduction in after tax profits is mainly due to increased tax in Brazil. The Directors are recommending the payment of a final dividend of £85p per share, which with the interim dividend already paid of 0.75p per share makes a total distribution of 2,60p (£2.5p) per share, an increase of 15.5%.

The market value of the listed investment portfolio at 31st December 1980 was £4,936,000 with a surplus over book value of £3,127,000. A later valuation made 22nd June shows £5,947,000 with an appreciation over book value of £4,143,000. Group net assets at book value but including the surplus on quoted investments, amount 30,64,570 per share of which 38,13p is situated in Brazil and 26,44p in the United Kingdom. United Kingdom:

Current cost accounts prepared for the first time show a profit after tax of £674,000, the reduction from historical cost profits being mainly accounted for by the increase charge of depreciation. Net assets on this basis, and including the surplus on the quoted investment portfolio amount to £24,298,000 of which £17,300,000 is situated in gravil

The Brazilian subsidiaries have again produced satisfactory results, which have exceeded the rate of depreciation of the cruzeiro in terms of sterling. Measures taken by the Brazilian Government during 1980 and early 1981, indicate a reduced rate of growth in the national economy. However, the export target of US dollars 26 billion should be compared to the contract of the contract o be capable of attainment and this should give rise to considerable port movements from which the Group would

Our Group, which has been established in Brazil for nearly 150 years, has a first class organisation and reputation and is in a position to advise those who are interested in joint ventures in Brazil, with a view to our participating with them in such ventures. Any company wishing to take advantage of this service should contact either Mr Teideman. at Regina House, 5 Queen Streer, London EC4N ISP or Dr. Stallone at Avenida Rio Branco 25, Caixa Postal No. 751-ZC-00, 20.900 Rio de Janeiro-RJ, Brazil.

### COMPARATIVE STATEMENT 11 months . Year

	31.12.1980 - £000	31.1.1980 £000
Group Turnover	38,185	25,467
Group profit before taxation	3,217 1,981	2,958 1,476
Group profit after taxation	1,236	1,482
Interim—paid Final—proposed Amount retained	198 490 548	132 4 <del>5</del> 3 . 887
Earnings per share based on the profit after taxation	4.67p	5.59p
Exchange rate Brazilian cruzeiro to £1	156.45p	<u>99.26</u> p
	£000	£000
Group Net Assets United Kingdom—book value Surplus of market value of	3,871	2,811
quoted investments over book value	3,127	2, <u>1</u> 03
Brazilian Interests—book value	6,998 10,093	4,914 9,269
	17,091	14,183
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The Annual General Meeting will be held at 12.15 p.m. on Tuesday, 28th July, 1981 at Winchester House, 100 Old Broad Street, London, E.C.2 

# Business Diary profile: John Hignett and the Takeover Panel

John Hignert is about to hang up his boxing gloves in the City for the first time in almost 30 years. After fighting through 30 years. After fighting intough Harrow and gaining a boxing blue at Cambridge, he is now to ensure that corporate bruisers observe the Takeover Panel's version of the Queensberry Rules.

In three months, the man who has been with merchant bankers Layard Brothers since 1963 and headed its corporate finance department for five months, takes over as the panel's director-general, referee

of the bid battles.

To many in the City, Hignett is a dark horse. Ironically, his late father Reginald a sculptor with several Royal Academy exhibitions to his credit, favoured the horse as a subject and mostly in dark materials.
Colleagues say it would only be a feel who interprets the annarent easy going manner of Hignert, 47, as a soft touch.
The relevit voice, charm and courtescy seem almost infinite, and rately is he seen to anger. But those in other City merchara banks say he doesn't suffer fools gladly, that they never underestimate anyone he advices and that his reputation -albeit, so far confined to the

Higner greets such observations with a shrug and seems not to mind suggestions he was a last-minute choice because, as

hanking circles-is tough, but

departure of predecessor Graham Walsh; who is return-

is usual in the near public ing to Morgan Grenfell as head image the City likes to foster, of corporate finance. his appointment was made after "In doesn't bother me, and the announcement of official anyway I don't thank things are departure of predecessor done quite lick that," he says.



Singger Hignett turns referee: John Hignett, incoming director-general of the City's Takeover Panel.

days to decide whether to take the turnover, a gleam comes the job.

I was totally surprised he into his eye when talking about his non-executive directorship of a small public but unquoted finance for five months here, but the Bank of Engiand asked me for a number of names and I was picked. Although admits the surprised has been head of the surprised his however, a gleam comes into his eye when talking about his non-executive directorship of a small public but unquoted from head of corporate for surprised his non-executive directorship of a small public but unquoted from head of corporate for surprised his non-executive directorship of a small public but unquoted from head of corporate for surprised his non-executive directorship of a small public but unquoted from his non-executive directorship of a small public but unquoted from his non-executive directorship of a small public but unquoted from his non-executive directorship of a small public but unquoted from his non-executive directorship of a small public but unquoted from his non-executive directorship of a small public but unquoted from his non-executive directorship of a small public but unquoted from his non-executive directorship of a small public but unquoted from his non-executive directorship of a small public but unquoted from his non-executive directorship of a small public but unquoted from his non-executive directorship of a small public but unquoted from his non-executive directorship of a small public but unquoted from his non-executive directorship of a small public but unquoted from his non-executive directorship of a small public but unquoted from his non-executive directorship of a small public but unquoted from his non-executive directorship of a small public but unquoted from his non-executive directorship of a small public but u

Although admitting that he finds the prospect of being one of the City's rop policemen somewhat daunting Hignett decided at 18 that he wanted a job of high responsibility in commerce.

Even his training as a chartered accountant he regards as merely useful for what he hoped would one day be the top slot. But with no family background in the City, and as an only child it was his family friends who influenced his career path. After malifying as an account-After qualifying as an account-ant, he went to Lord Kindersley ant, he went to Lord Kinder sity at Lazards for advice. He was a personal state told the bank would take him on if he did two years with accountant Deloitte & Co. He then returned to Lazards in Surrounding his fifth floor 1963 and has been there ever. City office are mementoes of his

Working his way up. Hignett was manager of the Issues department in 1971 and the following year became a

Machines.
He and other Lazard colleagues invested a tetal of £40,000 eight years ago in the high technology concern which prints circuits onto pieces of silicon to produce a "chip". Last year, DER made a pre-tax profit of £320,000 on a turnover of £2m.

tax profit of £320,000 on a turnover of £2m.

Higners and his family control,
about 110 per cent and a mere
mention of the company brings
out its glessy brochures for inspection. He is also a nonexecutive director of publicly
quoted Carless Capel & Leonard
and his association has brought
him into contact with some
Canadian oil stocks in which he
now has a personal stake. now has a personal stake. At home in London Hignett

travels—framed pictures of his safari to Kenya and examples of his father's work.

director. Last year, he was ap much more of his time is taken pointed head of the corporate up with advising the multi-finance department.

But while quietly mentioning Royal Insurance, British Petthat he has always worked on roleum and BOC International the side which produces half and he has been involved in

most of the big rights issues

this year.

Some years ago he was advising Glaro in its fight to beat off Beecham. The fight was stopped in the last round when Boots entered the ring and the Monopolies Commission counted out a bid for Glaxo.

Conscious of the importance of the City's image, he says:
"I favour keeping a low profile.
One must resolve problems by discussions, I think the rules are very clearly defined that one can point the way in which companies should behave. But if discussion breaks down, and public censure becomes the only course available, then it will be used."

And he says that foreign companies, wanting to take over United Kingdom firms, will need to read and follow the rules closely. The panel was understood to have been very withaway that its hards were understood to have been very unhappy that its hands were tied when American giant Philip Morris offered the equivalent of 170p to one Rothman's shareholder while others were holding stock worth less than half that price in the stock market.

market But that, he says, is the extent of personal investments, breiled in any problems the much more of his time is taken desk should be clear when he arrives on August 1—Hignett and family are off to Italy for a formight's break.

Philip Robinson

# New York starts futures contracts in Bank Certificates of deposit

New York—The struggling New York Futures exchange (NYFE) plans this Thursday to launch the first-ever futures contracts in Bank Certificates

Permission to trade in this new contract was granted only last week by the Commodities Funnes Trading Commission, the Washington regulatory agency which oversees the American markets. The commission also has before it requests from the two big Chicago exchanges, the Board of Trade and the Mercantile, both of which also want to offer CD contracts. No date has been set for final consideration of these applications though of these applications, though approval is expected in the

For the moment however, New York has an edge on its rivals, as for the first time it is not already well established in Chicago. The speed with which the market is being opened reflects its desire to turn this lead to permanent advantage.

A certificate of Deposit represents a sum of \$100,000 (£53,000) or more left on deposit with a major bank for a fixed number of days, at a specified interest rate, Its face

Bank Base

Rates

ABN Bank ..... 12% Barclays ..... 12%

Consolidated Crdts 12%

C. Hoare & Co .. \*12%

Lloyds Bank .... 12%

Midland Bank .... 12%

Nat Westminster .. 12%

.........

Williams and Glyn's 12%

3,936 Airsprung Group

7.693

17,942

2,760

2.157

Bardon Hill

Armitage & Rhodes

Deborati Services Frederick Parker

Frank Horsell George Blair

Jackson Group

Robert Jenkins

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Torday Limited

Twinlock Ord Twinlock 15% ULS

Unilock Holdings 12,906 Walter Alexander

James Burrough

### Commodities.

life as interest rates in the market diverg, from the rate on thte deposit, and this creates the need for a hedging mechanism.

Currently, the only viable short-term hedging in financial instruments is in United States government Treasury bills in Chicago. But the price of Treasury bills can fluctuate as a result of government meraa result of government operaand other "non-market" forces. CD's, on the other hand, reflect more closely the "pure" interest rate in the private sector, and are conse-quently much more volatile.

The contract to be traded in New York will be for CD's with a face value of \$1m, and a maturity of 90 days. But not all certificates will be traded— only those issued by America's ten major banks. These are Morgan Guaranty, Bank of America, Chemical Bank, Menu-facturers Hamover, Citibank, Chase Manhattan, Bankers Trust, Continental Illinois, First National Bank of Chicago, and Security Pacific.

Confining the CD's traded to those issued by these banks is

Briefly

Second. City Properties: Samuel

Montagu says that in response to rights issue, acceptances have been received in respect of

Merger cleared: Proposed acquisition by Cargill Inc of certain assets of Bowater Corporation is not to be referred to the Monopolies Commission.

Vectis Stone Group: Offer for the issued share capital of Blackgang Hotels has been declared unconditional. The separate offer by Smith Keen Cutler to acquire the Vectis shares issued under the Blackgang offer has been accepted as to 1.070 million Vectis shares (47.47 per cent). This offer is now closed.

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Price week Div(p) % Actual Taxed

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249 -3 13.1 5.3 4.7

15 + 1 - -79 -1 15.0 19.0

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This selectivity is necessary.

If all certificates, including hose issued by smaller, less well-known banks, were to be traded then the operation would have been much more compli-cated and potentially embaras-sing to the exchange as each deposit would have to be priced and rated separately to reflect their different popularities.

New York Futures Exchange officials have high hopes for the new contract and for what it might do to revive their moribund market. NYFE, an offshoot of the New York Stock Exchange, was opened ten months ago in an effort to wrest the initiative in financial and currency futures back from Chicago. But it has conspicuously failed to make an impact and there are now wide-speard doubts about its ability to survive, though to close it would mean the loss of almost \$20m spent in establishing it and equipping it with the latest

there is considerable unrest

simply serves to emphasise the gulf between it and the Chicago Board of Trade. Seats there are currently changing hands for \$242,000.

In spite of their obvious

In space of their obvious dominance, Chicago officials were outraged that New York should have been given first stab at this market, and interpreted it as a further sign of the Washington establishment's bias against them. Lending force to their arguments was force to their arguments was the fact that both had submitted their applications long before NYFE was even opened. Their move was was a ploy to resusicate the NYFE and should be termed Project Phoenix, Mr Robert Wilmouth, president of the Chicago Randy president of the Chicago Board of Trade, scorofully told the

more calmly and predicted that even with its head start, the CD market in New York would fail. "Their markets in Treasury bonds and bills never took off", said Mr Leo Mela med, former chairman of the Chicago Mercantile, "We will remain the leader in financial futures because Chicago has the people who are willing to risk their money to make highly liquid and efficient markets."

### in computer technology. As if to stress the point, the price of a seat on the exchange rose from \$11,000 to \$18,500 in the weeks before the CD **Anthony Hilton**

British and Commonwealth Shipping's chairman, Sir Nicholas Cayzer, says in his amusal statement that it is always difficult at the half-way stage to give any reasonable prediction of the eventual outcome from our associated component of the full year. Conditions conteinue to be difficult and there is considerable unrest leaving a profit and without which nothing will come right. "I think it clear that we may expect to see a reduced contribution from our associated component and it would have some reservations about the contribution from shipping." However, there is considerable unrest panies and I would have some reservations about the contribu-tion from shipping." However, leaving saide all the other many imponderables, he boped to see some improvement on the results ford of the year under

### **British & Commonwealth** Shipping gloomy

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### **Paringa** tells holders to sit tight

Paringa Mining and Explora-tion, the group which is subject to two takeover offers, has written to shareholders asking them to await further recommendations from the directors.

Mr Brian Davidson, the chairman, said in a letter that important developments had taken place in the past two weeks which were complex and liable to change. "As a result, it is at present uncertain whether your company will continue as an independent company managed by its present board of directors or whether to could the come a subsidirect to the country could be come as subsidirect to the country country could be come as subsidirect to the country co it could become a subsidiary

or unrectors or whether it could become a subsidiary of another group."

Last month, Apollo International Minerals, an Australian company, bought 35.7 per cent of Paringa and offered 85p a share for the group. The offer values Paringa at 19m and comfortably exceeds Hampton Gold Mining Areas 62p-a-share cash bid. Paringa has dismissed the Hampton offer as far too low, but Hampton, with the shares it already owned and acceptances, how controls 26.8 per cent of Paringa's equity.

Mr Davidson explains that his board is still holding discussions with Hampton and Apollo, although neither have changed their respective offers. He said that the discussions could significantly alter the present situation but the little.

could significantly alter the present situation but the directors may not have time to write again before the close of Apollo's offer on July 17, 1981. He suggests that shareholders should watch for announceshould watch for announce-ments which will publicise any material changes.

### More share prices

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# Rates fall from June peak as demand for tonnage declines

Queues of vessels waiting to load coal are again building up, at United States East Coast ports. After a busy state of chartering following the return to work by American miners, themand for tonnage over the past few weeks has slackened and this mend continued last week.

eek. Around 100 ships are reported to be waiting at Hampton Roads, with delays up to 75 days expected. Consequently, rates are weakening and have slupped from the \$25 a roome: "high "street the clusters." stone high or june, with charterers presently quoting \$21.50 on 55,000 tomers to Japan, whereas owners are endeavouring to obtain \$23. Demurrage is being charged at between \$13,000 and \$15,000 a.

day.

In dry cargo trading, only a moderate amount of business was concluded and new transactions were slow to emerge espite a reasonable volume of new inquiries circulating.
Mid-week hopes that trans-Arlantic grain rates were firming up—based on the booking of a 55,000-tonner from the United States Gulf to the United Kingdom at \$14.25—were dashed later on when \$11 was paid for 72,000 tonnes from the United States Gulf to Holland

Holland. This is the lowest level recorded since 1979 and is attribu-ted to the current lack of ed to the current lack of For instance, at least three lemand as well as surplus ULCCs and one VLCO were

### Freight

available tonnage in the Atlantic for this particular category of

For those in the tanker market trying to make forecasts of future trading patterns, the conflicting opinions over the likely course for the world oil market (and, in particular, the present glut) between Shaikh Yamani, the Saudi Arabian Oil Minister, and Mr Rene Ortiz, Opec's Secretary-General is serbing only as a source of confusion. confusion.

While Shaikh Yamani sees the while Shalkh Yamani sees the glut extending "well into 1982", the Opec view is that it should ease by the beginning of September, followed by a gradual pick-up in demand. This increase in demand is put down to a higher seasonal need, the rebuilding of stocks and an up-turn in economic growth in the industrial nations.

Among brokers and charterers

there is a fair degree of scep-ticism over the Opec view as September is seen as being too soon for a major turnround in the market, There also remains substantial volumes of oil stored in tankers around the world and the fact that vessels are still being fixed for such purposes.

storage commitment included. These involved a 350,000toner taken by Exxon for up to 50 days storage in the Caribbean at \$11,000 a day in company also booked a 340,000-tonner from the Arabian Gulf to the UK/Continent with an option for up to 90 days' storage at \$12500 a day built in. The rate for the voyage

in. The rate for the voyage was World Scale 24 (basis 9 knots).

With an absence of charterers in the markets, the volume of business concluded has been at a low level and has been at a low level and, with owners finding it difficult to secure employment for their ships, rates have again inevit-ably weakened. The latest fixture of a West-bound VLCC was done at World Scale 25.5 (based on the January World Scale rating), while to the East, the going level was World Scale 29 based on the new July rate value

Few transactions and a build-Few transactions and a buildup of tomage resulted in a
quiet time for the West
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David Robinson

# Some are still optimistic

The persistence of high short-term United States interest rates is making it difficult for underwriters to place Euro-bonds, but many market participants are still optimistic. writes AP Dow Jones.

Obviously, there will be no rush of investors into the Eurobond market until short-term rates fall well below Eurobond yields. As one-month dollar deposits pay about 19 per cent, there is little incentive for investors to buy notes and bonds at present yields of between 15.25 per cent and

Nevertheless, bankers say these yields look high in comparison to what is available in other currencies. More important is that, "real yields", or the return after subtracting inflation, is at historic "highs" for Eurobonds, specialists contend.

Indeed, recent history shows that high real returns are usually associated with sus-tained appreciation of the

enormous Indeed, Swiss money man-

Euromarkets of the link between real yields and currency appreciation than

franc's huge appreciation over the last decade. In any case, Swiss money managers are the main buyers of Eurobonds these days, partly because the outlook in their own country is not all that rosy. Over the three months ended May, Swiss retail prices were rising at a 5.3 per cent annual rare which per cent annual rate which does not make the real yield on a 7.33 per cent coupon bond seem very high. In comparison, United States retail prices were rising at an 8.8 per cent rate in the same period which makes the return on a 15 per cent coupon Eurobond look

others because this is what contributed greatly to the Swiss

ing last week and neither seemed to generate much exthusiasm. A syndicate led by Morgan Stanley International floated at 550m, three-year Toronto Dominion Bank issue at par, bearing 15 per cent. However, in after-market trading, the issue fell to 98,5 offered, to yield 15.66 per cent.

This made the terms of a

\$20m, three-year note issue of the Australian Industry Development Bank appear less than generous. Managed by Citcorp international Bank and Hambros Bank, the Australian government agency's issue was priced at 99.5 bearing, 14.875 per cent, to yield 15.09 per cent. A Bellwether \$500m, five-year note issue of the World Bank reached a new "low" on Friday of 96.25 offered, to yield 15.51 per cent. The issue was offered late last month at 98.5, hearing sing at an 8.8 per cent rate in the same period which makes the return on a 15 per cent co's \$150m, four-year nore outpon. Eurobond look normous.

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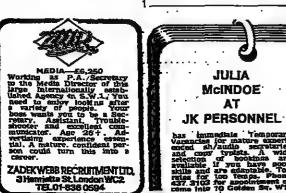
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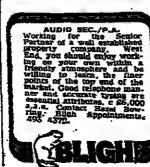
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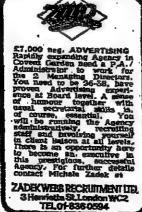
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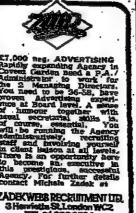


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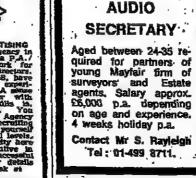
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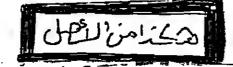
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For a start, he is named as one of the West's most dis-tinguished citizens in the 75th delle. rooking the desiration of Sunset Information of Sunset Info quarter of a century — mainly through his pioneering of techniques in strategic plan-ning research aimed specifi-cally at real estate.

This is hardly surprising — the amount of cash flowing into American and Canadian property investment and development over the past few years has been steadily increasing. Funds, both large and small, feel their portfolios are not complete without at least one or two American properties. But Mr Goodkin is a different

breed of animal from that which can be found knocking on the doors of pension fund managers and property compa-

Over the years, he has been responsible for several best-selling books, of which the most famous was probably The Goodkin Guide to Winning in Real Estate, written during the mid-1970s real estate slump. He has also been lauded as America's greatest real estate expert.

Apart from forecasting slumps and booms in the property market, Mr Goodkin writes a property investment newsletter, lectures on real estate, and develops and invests in his own right.



Agents Debenham Tewson & Chinnocks report that they have let the entire 85,000 sq ft Chamber of Commerce building in Manama, Bahrain. Rents, say the agents, are between £6 — £10 a sq ft.

by the prospects of British institutional funds finding a home in American property that he is likely to be a frequent

isitor. Naturally, he is fairly scathing about the sort of advice British funds receive from United Kingdom — based estate agents operating in America, and so is extremly optimistic about his business future here. "I have met a number of fund

managers and property compa-nies on my short visit this time," he says. "I feel there is tremendous potential for what I have to offer. I expect to be back fairly shortly." Mr Goodkin's particular

expertise lies in pinpointing investment areas which will show real capital growth. After all, it does not take an investment genius to direct a fund manager to an area which is already established and will produce a solid, if unspectacu-

lar, income growth.

Predictably, Mr Goodkin
feels he can offer an invest-Currently, Mr Goodkin is in ment service unrivalled by London looking for clients and British agents and, with his funds to invest in American track record, he will undoubt-

property - and so excited is he edly attract many funds and property companies who are eager to invest in North America while exchange controls are still non-existent.
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Miss United Kingdom re-cently added a touch of glam-our to the launching of a £3.5m and 120,000 sq ft industrial trading estate in Leeds. The Gelderd trading estate is being developed by London & Man-chester Securities in conjunc-tion with the Poyal Insurance tion with the Royal Insurance

Group.

The development was only completed two weeks ago and has attracted two tenants, the 600 Group and Battenfield. Further lettings are expected to be completed shortly. The scheme is located within the Leeds Triangle, which makes for easy access to the M1, M62

and M621. Units available on the five-acre estate range from 3,000 sq ft to 22,360 sq ft at rents of £2 a sq ft. The site was originally acquired from the National Freight Corporation in 1979, and development is financed by Royal Insurance.

Plans by the Government to bring private capital into its Arunbridge.

own property schemes took a step forward last week with the announcement of a sale and leaseback deal with Pearl Assurance for an International Conference Centre on a site at

Broad Sanctuary, Westminster. The 1.5-acre site, which is within a stone's throw of the House of Commons, is behind the buildings in Great George Street. The 291,000 sq ft centre-will be completed in 1986.

Unfortunately, the usual veil of secrecy has been thrown over the deal struck between Pearl Assurance and the Government Figures given by the institution which is funding the scheme do not give a true indication of what the development is really likely to cost.

Last week, Pearl said that on current building prices con-struction would cost in the order of £32m. But this figure is likely to have risen considerably by 1986, and the scheme is thought to be going to cost Pearl nearer £50m.

As for the rent, the Government is having to pay under the terms of its 125-year lease and, with five year rent reviews, this is going to be nothing like the £2m being quoted. When the Government takes occupation in five years' time, they can expect to pay around £3m a year for the centre.

What has been ignored by most observers is the cost of the site itself — surely the Government has not thrown it into the deal for nothing — and also financing charges, in flation and other, sundry fees.

Arunbridge Industrial Estates, headed by former property tycoon Ronald Lyon, has acquired a further three industrial sites for around £3m. The sites - two in High Wycombe. and the other in Beckenham — will provide around 250,000 sq ft of space and are expected to have an investment value of £11m. Conrad Ritblat acted for

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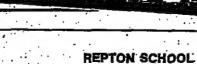
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and the Michael Crawford comedy-adventure Condorman. The presenter is Michael Wood. 11.38 News Headlines.

11.40 Managing the Micro: Fourth of five films about the revolution in technology in British industry. The presenter is Brian Redhead (r).

12.05 Weather Forecast. Closedown at 12.10

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Robin Bailey: Sorry, I'm a Stranger Here Myself (ITV,

 THEY'RE PLAYING MY TUNE (BBC 2, 10.35 pm) is a mini-series from BBC Bristol: four-week run of 10-minute films. I have seen three of them: two are really quite touching. The other, tonight's, is not. It is just George Melly explaining how, back in his public school days, a scratchy old 78 rpm record of Bessie Smith singing Give Me a Pig Foot planted his student foot on the mad to Juxtand This is the the road to Jazzland. This is the theme of Tony Staveacres's unassuming series — songs
that have influenced people's
lives. It is very clear that Bessie
Smith did not secceed, as Mr
Melly says he hoped she would,
in ensuring him a life of magnificent squalor. He is filmed in an elegant lounge, at cocktail hour.

● JACQUELINE DU PRE MASTERCLASS (BBC 2, 7,00 masterclass (BBC 2, 7.00 pm) is both depressing and uplifting: depressing because the once-great cellist can no longer play, inspiring because she can pass on to others her deep understanding of, and love for, this most responsive of instruments. These four nasterclasses were first shown two years ago, and we shall see all four this week, on successive nights. Tonight's has a particular significance because we see bliss on Pre coaching students in the concerto with which she is ineluctably associated, the Elgar.

 A good day for radio drama: Alan Ayckbourn's comedy JOKING APART is tonight's Monday Play (Radio 4, 8.00 pm), with Jonathan Newth and Fiona National States of the August 1981 Walker as the human steamrollers. And let me say again what I said last Saturday:you'll be missing some superior you'n be missing some superior chat if you miss Bruce
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series. Commentary by Richie Benaud, Tom Graveney, Tony Lewis, Bob Simpson. Coverage continues on BBC 1 at 2.05. It then transfers to BBC 2 at 4.30 Highlights of the day's play tonight on BBC 2 at 11.30. 1.30 Bod: Bod's Present (r); 2.00 Regional news. 2.05 Cricket: The Second Test. The afternoon's play from Lord's; 4.18 Regional news. 4.20 Play School: Joan Ward's story A Pile of Clothes, Read by Lucie Skeaping and Ben Thomas. Also on RBC 2 at 11.00 4.45 Jana of the Jungle: Cartoon. The Golden Idol of the

6.40 Open University. Buffon at Montbard; 7.05 Scientists Remember Germany 1918-1945; 7.30 Sanctions and Rhodesia (2). 11.00 Play School: Same as BBC 1, 4.20 (A Pile of Clothes). Closedown at 11.25.
4.30 Cricket: Fourth day of the England v Australia match at Lord's. Introduced by Peter

Lord's. Introduced by Peter West. The live coverage continues uninterrupted until 6.35. There are highlights of the day's play tonight at 11.30, also on BBC 2.

lass: First programme in a

9.30 am For Schools: Sizes, shapes and dimensions; 9.47 Understanding computers; 10.05 All about tails; 10.23 Equality and Time; 10.40 French lesson: au travail; 11.05 Holidays (for the hard of hearing); 11.22 Goral reef waters; 11.39 History Around you.

Around you. 12.00 Choriton and the Whee-lies: Choriton and the Crime

Wave (r). 12.10 pm Rainbow: The theme is stubborness. 12.30

Home and Design: Fabrics — design, printing, packaging and marketing (r).

1.00 News from ITN. 1.20 Thames area news.

1.30 The Diana Dors Show: Chat

and music show. Miss Dors's guests today are the fortune teller Delinda, Professor Laurie

laylor, and the comedian Tom

O'Connor.

2.00 The Riordaus: Irish village life series. 2,30 Film: Mister Jerico (1969) Tale of a confidence trickster (Patrick Macnee) and the theft of a fabulous diamond. With Connie Stevens.

and Herbert Lom.

4.15 Porky Pig and Daffy Duck:
cartoon. 4.20 Now for Nookie:
Roger de Courcey and his bear
take up politics. With Bernie
Winters and David Lodge. 4.45

Newsround.

5.10 Blue Peter Flies the World:
Malaysia. See Sarah Greene and Simon Groom smothered in poisonous pit vipers at the Snake Temple, Kuala Lumpur.
See Malaysia's answer to the Oxford's Cambridge Boat Race—the Dragon Boat Races—the Dragon Boat Races—the Dragon Boat Races at Manchester crashed into a Willing 146 people. The programme has evidence that the crew were given instructions which it was impossible to carry out.

9.00 News: with Peter Woods. And weather forecast.

9.25 Film: The Power Play (1976) Made-for-television thrilling. The question master is Robert Robinson. Gorgas (r); 5.6 John Craven's David Dimbleby about the moral

TELEVISION

Almonds of Tilehurst in Reading. The question master is ler. Ronald Burr plays the Robert Robinson.

7.20 Blakes Seven: The crew of the Liberator discover a strange artificial planet. It houses a very dangerous enemy (r)

8.10 Panorams: on the eve of the defence debate, John Not, the Secretary of State, talks to 11.00 Now Showing: Clips from

(see Choice).

cigarettes.

risked their lives to help Allied aircrews shot down in bombing raids to get back to Britain from German-occupied Europe. Tonight, Albert (Bernard Repon) has to cope with two mysterious new invaders—Russians, Lifeline sends them series of four. The cellist, now a victim of multiple sclerosis, passes on her experience to two students, Faye Clinton and Christin Jackson. The accompanist is Clifford Benson. 7.35 News: with sub-titles for the hard of hearing. 7.50 Arthur Negus Enjoys: The antiques expert visits Berty Cadbury's huge collection of toys at Rednal, near Birmingham. He sees growling lions, displaying peacecks, and bears that drink milk and smoke cigarettes.

Russians Lifeline sends them to Alain's farm, but Kessler (Clifford Rose) is told where they will be (from BBC 1).

9.00 Sing Country: New series. With Tammy Wynetle, Marty Robins, Buddy Emmons. Terry McMillan and George Jones.

9.50 Brass Tracks: New series begins. Tonight's programme about divorce, comes live from the Marriage Room of a Bristol register office. on BBC Z.
6.35 Open University: Today's 8.05 Secret Army: Another the Marriage Room of a Bristol Chance to see these Second register office. An experiment World War advenure stories in family conciliation is taking lass: First programme in a about the Commentals who place in the city. It has enjoyed

up elsewhere in Britain? Among the speakers tonight is George Brown, chairman of the Society of Conservative Lawyers. The society is calling for a Minister for Families 10.35 They're Playing My Tune.
New series begins. George
Melly, writer and jazz singer,
explains how a certain song
came to change his life. 10.45 Newsnight: News bulletins and analysis. Linda Alexander reads the bulletins. David Icke bandles the sports coverage.

11.30 Cricket: The Second Test 11.50 Cricket: The Second Acad. Highlights of today's play in the England v Australia much at Lord's. The presenter is Richie Benaud. Ends at 12.05 am.

and Alix (Christopher Pulford) need a stiff drink to get over the shock of encountering a house spider. But the local pub-finds Henry out of his depth. 8.30 World in Action: Britain, 8.30 World in Action: Britain, a haven for terrorists. There is strong evidence that this country is sheltering right-wing extremists, including murderers and bombers, on the run from the police in Europe. The programme investigates this underground network.

9.00 Omincy: Drama series, with Jack Klugman as a pathologist. When a Japanese film star dies suddenly, a relative pleads with Quincy: not to perform an autopsy on him.

10.00 News from ITN. And Thames news headlines.

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10.30 Hammer House of Horror: Charlie Boy. The wooden status with the lumy face that is much more than it looks. With Leigh Lawson, Angela Bruce, Marius Goring and Frances Cuka. This thriller was made especially for television screening (r).
11.30 Great Fights of the Seventies: We see two of Muhammad Ali's encounters with Jerry Quarry and Richard

12.25 sm Close: Dame Janet Baker reads a favourity poem.

RADIO

6.00 am News Briefit 6.10 Farming Week. 6.30 Today. 8.35 The Week on 4. 7.05 Morning Concert. Schubert, Mozart, Haydn; records.† L00 News. L05 Morning Concert (c. Summel, Arne, Schuman, 9.00 News. 9.05 This Week's Composer: Mer ords.†

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int Debussy, Kabalevsky;
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ital: Bach, Milhaud, Szym

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Baker.
10.00 News.
10.02 A Small County
series). About people
work in the country.
10.30 Daily Service,
10.45 Morning Story:
Refuse Officia Skl.7 11.25 Cricket: Second Test. England Australia; 'commentary from ord's, incl. Urquhart. 11.00 News. 11.05 Down 1.35 News. 1.40 Your Letters Answered. 2.00 Lunchtime scoreboard. 6.40 Mainly for Pleasure. 7.00 College Concerts 1980/81. (Last in series, part 6). Webern, Michael

and Fallacies of Dieting.
12.00 News.
12.02 pm You and Yours.
12.27 Lord Peter Winsey: Murder Must Advertise by Dorothy L Sayers (5). Sudden Decesse of a Man in Dress Clothes.
12.55 Weather.
1.00 The World At One.
1.40 The Archers.
2.00 News.
2.02 Woman's Hour.
3.00 News.
3.02 Afternoon Theatre: The Gallows in My Garden, by Bruce Stewart.†
4.35 Smith Against the System (new series). Not coulege towards and the property of the property of the provided Hours (last in series). Alastair Hetherington in conversation with David Lodge.

9.45 fvo Pogorelich, Plano recital: Chopin; record.; 10.30 Jazz in Britain.; 11.00 News. 11.05-11.15 Riisabeth Lutyens. On record.

series).
4.45 Story Time: Illyrian Spring (9).
5.00 PM.
6.00 News.
6.30 The News Quiz.†
7.00 News.
7.05 The Archers.
7.20 Start the Week with Richard

Radio 4

Baker. 8.00 The Monday Play: Apart, by Alan Ayckbourn. † 9.36 Kaleidescope. 18.60 The World Tonight. 3.30 Science Now.
1.60 A Book at Bedtime: The
loving Toyshop (part 6).
1.55 The Financial World Tonight.
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55-6.55 am Open University. 11.25 BBC Scottish Symphony Orchestra Concert Bartok, Busoni, Seiber, Tchnikovsky.

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1.00 pm News.
1.05 BBC Lunchtime Concert. String Quarter recital: Wolf, Schubert.
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3.05 Schumann and Liant, Piano

4.05 New Records Bartok, Rachma-

Westward.

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As Thames except: 1,20pm-1,30 News. 2,00 House Party., 2,25 Fun; Union Station (William Holden). 3,45-4,15 Life Begins at Forty, 5,18-5,45 Happy Days., 5,00-7,00 Day-by Day., 11,30 WKRP in Cincinnati. 12,00 Weather followed by a Twenty Year Record.

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As Thames except: 17.50mm-12.00 Bubbles. 1.20pm-1.30 Granada Re-ports. 2.00-4.15 Monday Matinee Film: Winslow Boy\* (Robert Donat). 5.15-5.45. Joe 90. 6.00-7.00 Granada Reports. 11.30 Today Tonighi. 11.40-12.40pm Cities: Athem.

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2.00 Cartoon Time, 2.10-4.15 Film;
Edward: My Son (Spencer Tracy,
Deborah Kerr), 5.15-5.45 Chifton
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Scottish.

Yorkshire As Thames except: 1.26-1.30 pm News. 2.00 Film: Magic Bow (Stewart Granger, Phyllis Calvert). 4.00-4.15 Hear Here 5.15-5.45 Sha Na Na. 6.80 Calendar, 6.35-7.00 Happy Days, 10.30 Sweeney, 11.30-12.15 Moure

Ulster As-Thames except: 1.20-1.30 am Lunchtune. 2.30 Film: Bush Baby (Margaret: Brooks, Louis Gossett). 4.72-4.75 News. 4.45 Call it Macaroni. 5.15-5.45 Jos 90. 6.00 Good evening Uister. 6.30-7.00 Hore's Boomor. 70.30 Link Factor 11.00 Goiring Greats, 11.30 Bedtime, followed by Closedown.

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# 'Observer' closure threat over loss of 850,000 copies

Management of The Observer, which was malife to print 850,000 copies on Saturday night because of an industrial dispute, is to call an urgent meeting with print union leaders to tell them it is not prepared to continue publishing the newspaper unless the unions give guarantees of uninterrupted production.

Saturday's losses, which

Saurday's losses, which accounted for almost 90 per cent of the newspaper's normal print run, stemmed from a dispute over differentials involving machine room workers.

The dispute, which is similar to one at The Sunday Times that caused the loss of 400,000 copies last month, centres on a claim by members of the National Society of Operative Printers, Graphical and Media Personnel (Natsopa) for 871 per cent of rares paid to members of the National Graphical Association (NGA) in the machine room.

A ruling on the Society

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A ruling on the Sunday.

Times dispute by the Advisory,
Conciliation and Arbitration
Service is expected later this
week and will be studied
closely by both unions and
management at The Observer.

Management at The Observer said that difficulties on Satursaid that difficulties on Saturday began when there was a delay in starting the presses and by 9 pm only 150,000 copies had been printed. Mr

Management of The Observer, Roger Harrison, joint managing

procedure.

The Observer accepts that in most Fleet Street offices Natsopa members are paid 871 per cent of NGA rates where they are working alongside NGA members. Its management said on Saturday night that they were prepared to meet the claim for brake hands on the presses if the chapel would agree to new production schedules.

The newspaper will today

Trelford editorial, page 12

# Civil Service unions say dole cheques could stop

By Our Labour Staff

The unions are picketing an important Department of Employment stationery building in Watford which has led to no giro cheques being sent out to unemployment benefit offices for about 10 days.

Local payment offices are now relying on their stocks and a department official said last night that although there had been no reports of any of the 1,000 offices running out of cheques "this action will eventually affact unemployed people".

Giro cheques for unemploy-ment benefit are being written

Roger Harrison, joint managing director, then told the Natsopa chapel (office branch) that if its members refused to work normally they would not be paid for the entire shift.

After asking for the management's terms to be put in writing, the machine room chapel, which covers up to 200 men, walked out of the building. The management had apparently insisted that the men should abide by an agreed disputes procedure.

The newspaper will today contact the Newspaper Publisher's Association, the employers' body, and the general secretaries of the print unions to emphasize that further distributes cannot be ruption cannot be tolerated.

The situation is further con-The situation is further com-plicated by the imminent take-over of The Observer by Mr Roland "Tiny" Rowland's Lourno group but managers in day-to-day control of the opera-tions are determined to make a

Civil Service union leaders by hand in the local offices believe that a crisis is developing in the payment of unemployment benefits which could lead to dole money starting to dry up in the next two because two computer centres at Livingston and Reading have been closed by a strike since

The Department of Employment has no contingency plans to pay unemployment benefits in cash over the counter of local' offices and the likely consequence would be a dramatic increase in the number of increase in the number of claimants for supplementary benefits from social security

Union officials last night were sceptical about their ability to cope.

Left wing pressure is mount-ing in the nine unions involved in the campaign of selective strikes for an approach to the Government with an offer to accept a 510 a week increase for all 530,000 white-collar civil



War and peace for the police on the streets of two British cities yesterday: Early-morning vioting in Liverpool and racial harmony reigning at the St Paul's carnival in Bristol.

# Chief constable's warning after Toxteth riot

Continued from page 1 crowd of black hooligans intent on making life unbearable and indulging in criminal behaviour. indulging in criminal behaviour.

"I am going to maintain law and order in the area. I am not going to have nogo areas in Liverpool. There is no way I am going to withdraw the police presence from Toxteth."

Mr. John Hamilton, Labour, leader on Liverpool City Council, said that the root cause was almost entirely national policies. almost entirely national policies was almost entirely national policies which had left 40 per cent of the area's population unemployed, compared with the average for size city of 17 per

Mr. Hamilton, who represents the Granby ward of the heart of the ravaged suburb, said "We are deeply concerned. We have been saying for a long time that trouble would come because of the attitude of government, nationally and locally.

High unemployment, cut-backs in public expenditure and alienation of youth from public authorities have helped to make this situation possible. That is the saddest element of all, that youth should be so alienated." Residents spoke of a build-up of resentment over unemploy-ment and lack of social facilities over a long period. It cul-

and some young officers allegedly taunting young blacks. One said: "It was a tinderbox that only required a spark."

Mr John Arboin, a leading Jamaican member of the community, said: "Police were everywhere in groups and we asked them to withdraw but they would not do so."

Critics of the Government's the Hambrough Tavern was three-quarters destroyed by fire, seven vehicles had been burn, 25 shops damaged and 60 police officers injured. Thirty people had been arrested.

In Southall police are investigating the organization of a skinhead concert in such a predominantly immigrant area. Coaches came from east

Critics of the Government's area Coaches came from east economic policies will clearly London for the event. Immiview the weekend's events as grant groups see that as evi-auother indication of the dan-gerous road they believe has activities of extreme right-been taken.

The events in Southall and Toxteth come while the Scarman tribunal is already analysing the rioting in Brixton in April, and the Home Office is investigating the problems of race relations in Britain's inner cities.

The trouble in Southall, an area with a high concentration of Asian immigrants, began after an incident in which skin-heads on their way to a concert at a local public house are alleged to have smashed an Asian shop and attacked a woman. The police arrived to keep the skinheads and crowds of Asian works.

A groups

A group representing black and Asian councillors in London boroughs yesterday wrote to Mr Whitelew calling on him to improve the situation in inner cities and to make better employment prospects for immigrant youths. At the same time they plan a meeting of all immigrant groups in London to discuss the correlation of information about the activities of groups such as the activities of groups such as the National Front and the British Movement, which have recruited young whites, such as the skinbeads.

Asian snop and allacked a woman. The police arrived to keep the skinheads and crowds of Asian youths spart and violence erupted.

By the time the streets were quiet again the public house,

president, said the organiza-tions had complained to the Government in 1976 about the

- Now the racist groups were becoming better organized and the time had come for Parlia-ment to tackle them with emergency measures in the same way terrorism was being combated, he said.

"We think Southall was a declaration of war by saying "We are now going into pre-dominantly Asian areas". No one can be safe", Mr Kadri

The events in London and Liverpool are also likely to give further urgency to a Home Office committee considering protective clothing and tactics for the police dealing with public disorder. Yesterday Mr James Jardine, chairman of the Police Federation, said: "If the traditional look of the police has got to go, it has got to go. We did not want to see shields, we never thought we would see petrol bombs: We are moving into a new era of public order."

The police, he said should The events in London and

The police, he said should not be left standing like Aunt Sallies in front of rioters, but take a positive role.

Three policemen injured at Southall were still in Hilling.

Tonight Mr Whitelaw faces a backbench home affairs committee where calls may be made to strengthen further the immigration laws and give the

Toxteth forms part of Liver pool 8, the city's most herrero-geneous area and is in the shadow of the huge sandstone Anglican cathedral Physically, with its diminishing element of dereliction and newer housing it has its counterpart in most industrial ciries. However, it is unlike similar areas in some other cities in that the immigrant community have been there for a minimum of three

Ar St Paul's, Bristol, scene of violent riots last year, the annual carnival, a popular multiracial event, went off without incident. In Handsworth, Birmingham,

nidway between Southall and Merseyside, more than 8,000 people, black and white, attended a festival in the local park, close to the centre of a multiracial suburb. The spirit was as amiable and peaceful as a rural village fete (a Staff Reporter writes).

### EEC help to restore free milk in schools

By Hugh Clayton Agriculture Correspon The Government has secured an EEC subsidy worth up to £25m a year to restore free milk in schools. The scheme has been agreed after months of hard bargaining in Brossels and among government departments in London.

The successful result was an-Royal Show yesterday by Mr Peter Walker, Minister of Agri-culture. "With Brussels and the Treasury involved, it has been a ghastly long negotiation," he said.

The subsidy is intended to reverse the decline in the conreverse the decline in the consumption of school milk since
the Education Act, 1980; removed all obligations for local
councils to provide it. The
scheme has been agreed only
after rigid safeguards were imposed by the Treasury. It is
almost exactly 10 years since
Mrs Margaret Thatcher, as
Secretary of State for Education and Science, abolished free
school milk for many children.
The first safeguard in the

The first safeguard in the new scheme is that there must be to cost to central funds. The second is that to qualify for

second is that to qualify for payment councils must state in advance how much milk they will use in the coming year and must adhere to that forecast during the year.

The EEC subsidy is worth threequarters of the cost of providing curprice school milk if a member state of the community provides the remaining quarter. The main hurdle to winning the subsidy for Britain has been the refusal of the European Commission to accept that a collection of payments that a collection of payments from British local councils constitutes a national contribution.

The size of the subsidy will depend on the amount contri-buted voluntarily by local councils many of which have abandoned their achoof milk schemes in the past year.

### **BOLSHOI DANCER QUITS FOR US**

Miss Galina Chursina, a non-soloist member of the Bolshoi Ballet performing at a festival in Istanbul, walked into the United States Consulate there yesterday and requested politi-cal asylum which was granted, official sources reported.

official sources reported.

According to the police, Miss Chursina, aged 27, was in love with a Turk whom she met in Istanbul last summer. They appeared together in a pherometer of the summer. appeared together in a photo novel", a police source told UPI. The Bolshoi has about 100 dancers in its corps de baller and 40-50 soloists.

# THE TIMES INFORMATION SERVICE

### Today's events

The Duke of Edinburgh opens new hostel of Scottish Youth Hostels Association, Pitlochry, Tayside, Perthshire, 11.15; the Queen and the Duke of Edinburgh visit Trefoil Holiday and Adventure Centre for the Handicapped Gogarbank, Edinburgh, 240.

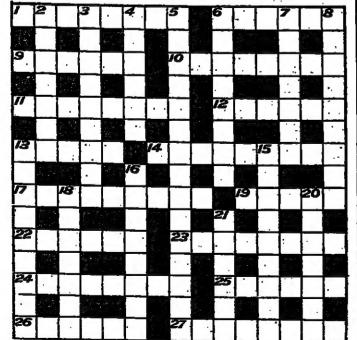
The Prince of Wales opens Royal British Legion Housing Scheme, Stenhousemuir, Scotland, 10.30; as pairon of the Inter-national Year of Disabled People. attends garden party in aid of Thistle Foundation, Niddrie Mains Road, Craigmillar, Edinburgh, 3. Princess Alexandra as patron, Princess Alexandra as patron, visits St Christopher's Hospice, for first reunion conference, 2.30; attends Independence Day dinner of Anglo-Venezuelan Society,

Film time: News from Nowhere and Life and Works of William Morris. National Gallery, 1; Milais: "The Boyhood of Raleigh" and other works, Monica Seymour, Tate Gallery, 1; The Syon Cope, Penelope Walls, Victoria and Albert Museum, 11.30; English medieval metalwork, Catherine Oakes, Victoria and Albert Museum, 230; Tudor and Albert Museum, 230; Tudor seum 2.30 : Tudor and Jacobean costume in the primary galleries, Frances Musker, Victoria and Albert Museum, 3.30. Poetry

Ferenz Azmann, Troubedour Coffee House, 265 Old Brompton Exhibitions -

visits St Christopher's Hospice, for first reunion conference, 2.30; attends Independence Day dinner of Anglo-Venezuelan Society, Savoy Hotel, 7.40.

Talks, lectures
Celtic art: early style David Williams, British Museum, 11.30; field Street, Walsaff, 10 to 6.



### **ACROSS**

- 1 Little Boy Blue changing to clerical wear (8).
- 6 Standard description of wine far out of this world (6). 9 He gives warning about start of bombing (6). 10 This man digging into the food
- 6 As you was before you were!"—such a state! (8). 11 Eastern nuclear explosion out of the blue (8). 7 Sonny in school—" sunny outside the church? (7). 12 Divine leader of nine (6).
- 13 Grass snake swallows its tail 8 19 is about to ponder material
- 14 Chaps go to Silver Lake to see 13 animals there (9). 17 Out-of-the-way pastime? (9).

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2 He included nothing overweight in his pictures (7).

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5 Anglo-French Concorde ? (7, 8).

Cup-supporter sees players heading the table (9).

The Times Crossword Puzzle No 15,570

Le Havre: Groceries, cooked meats, Lefèvre, 127 Rue Victor Higo; cakes and chocolates, Houle, 185 Rue de Paris; cheeses, Chemisse, Halles du Marché, restaunant; Le Nice-Havrais, 6 Place Frederic Sauvage, 01033-35. 46.14.59.

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### Roads

London and the Sonth-east: M3, Hampshire-bound carriageway closed between junction 3 (Guildford) and junction 4 (Farnborough). Two lanes available in each direction on London bound side, Major work for next five months. A23: Purley Way, morth of Purley Cross, northbound side reduced to two lanes. M1: Southbound carriageway closed tonight at 8 pm until 6 am tomorrow between junction 5 (Watford, Harrow). A2: Roadworks at saeveral points between Bexley Heath and Camterbury. M2: Work at London End. Midlands: M6: Twoway traffic on one carriageway between junction 1 (M1 Rugby) and 2 (M69 Coventry East) and between junction 9 (Wednesbury) and 11 (Cannock) junction 10 (Walsall) closed. Northbound entry and exit st junction 9 closed. A4957: Resnifacing at Curdworth Village.

Inoquiries to Automobile Association on 01-954 7373.

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### The Pound

Maureen Foster, contraito, and Kenneth Abbott, organ, City Temple, 1.5; Hans Christian Enler, violin, St Margarer Loth-bury, 1.10; Aeolian String Quartet, St John's, 1; Waltham-stow Hall Senior School Choir, St Anne and St Agnes, 1.10; Lloyd's Choir, St Katherine Cree, 1.15; Piero Lo, Faro prison St. Lloyd's Chour, St Katherine Cree, 1.15; Piero Lo Faro, piano, St Martin-in-the-Fields, 1.5. Memorial service: Mr Albert J. Knight, St Paul's, Covent Garden,

minated in a strong police

### Food in France

These shops and restaurants in the French channel ports are Boulogne: Cakes and chocolates, André Lugand, 9 Grande Rue; cooked meats, Derrien, 1 Grande Rue; cheeses, Philippe Olivier, 43-45 Rue Thiers; restaurant, La Charlotte, 11 Rue du Doyen, 01033-21.30.13.08.

Calais: Cakes: Ducard, Boule-vard La Fayette; R Outtier, 53 Rue Royale; cheeses: Guislain, Maison du Fromage, Rue André Gerschel, off Place d'Armes; bread: Baclet, 2 Rue Anotole France; restaurant: La Feuillan-dine, 62 Place d'Armes, 01033-21.57.32.57.

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London: FT Index rose 2.1 on Friday to 548.0.

### Church music

St Mary's Cathedral, Edinburgh, July 8, Peter Backhouse, Organ, 8; Rochester Cathedral, July 8, David Coulter, organ, 8; Chichester Cathedral, July 6, Berlin Symphony Orchestra, 7:30; July 11, Philharmonia Orchestra (conductor Riccardo Muril, 7:30; St Jude-on-the-Hill, Hampstead Garden Suburb, July 8, Barnet Brass II, 7:45; Canterbury Cathedral, July 7, Ivor Keys, organ, 8; St Andrew-by-the-Wardrobe, July 7 and 9, Baroque in Blackfriars, 1:10; Barnet Brass Ensemble, 8; Banger Cathedral, July 7, Andrew-Goodwin, organ, 1:15; Brecon Cathedral, July 9, Treorchy Male Choir, 7:45; Norwich Cathedral, July 8, Norwich Students Orchestra, 8; Fakenbam Parish Church, July 12, Haydin's Creation, 7; Durham Cathedral, July 7, Manchester String Orchestra, 7:30; Hereford Cathedral, July 8, EFA Suttle, organ, 1:15; St Pani's Cathedral, July 8, City Festival Concert, 8; July 10, John Walker, organ, 12:30.

### Auctions today

Christie's, King St: Fine Continental porcelain, 10.30. Christie's, South Kensington: Oriental prints and scrolls, 2; old and modern silver, 2. Christie's at the National Motor Museum, Beaulieu, Hampshire: Collectors' motor cars and horse-drawn carriages, 2. Phillips, Rienheim St: Furniture, carpets and objects, 11; oil paintings, 11: prints, including collection of Nathaniel Sparks etchings, 2. Viewing today

# Bonhams, Montpelier St: Old master paintings, 9-5; water-colours and drawings, 9-5; tasting claret, vintage port, fine burgundy and regional wines, 11-1. Phillips, Blenheim St: Furniture, carpets and works of art; English and Continental ceramics and glass. **Passports**

Israel has decided to allow in visitors with a British visitor's passport, provided they also pro-duce their expired full passport. A British Visitor's Passport on its own is not sufficient.

### The papers

The riots in Southall and Texteth provoke widespread comment in today's newspapers. Once again the police are caught in the middle, the Daily Mirror says. "If the police can protect seaside resorts from stimbeads on bank holidays, coloured youngsters are emitted to ask why they cannot stop racist provocation".

The Dally Mail says the police are unreasonably criticized.

"When they turn out in force, as at Brixton, they are called provocative. When they are called provocative. When they are said to be falling in their duty. The police need the protection of all smitable hot equipment. Urgent action is needed because it is appailingly easy in today's Britain to break police heads and get away with it."

La Republica, Rome, says that events in Poland, nearly a year after the great outbreak of strikes on the Baltic coast, have gone surprisingly well. No Soviet general has entered Warsaw with his tanks, and the county seems to be moving along the road towards a different socialism."

### Sporting fixtures

Cricket: Second Test, England
v Australia, at Lord's (11.30 to
6.30). County championship (11.0)
to 6.30 or 7.0). Derbyshire v Worcestershire; at Chesterfield; Hampshire v Nottinghamshire, at
Bournemouth; Kent v Lancashire,
at Maidstone; Leicester; Northamptonshire v Glamorgan, at Northampton; Sussex v Gloucestershire, at Hove; Warwickshire v
Essex, at Birmingham; Yorkshire
v Surrey, at Harrogate.
Racing: Meetings at Population

Racing: Meetings at Pontefract (2.45), Edinburgh (2.0), Wolver-hampion (6.40) and Windsor (6.45). Swimming: ASA championships, at Leeds.

Equestrianism: Royal Show, at Kemlworth.

Sport on TV BBC 1: 11.25 cricket; 2.5 BBC 2: 4.30 cricket; 11.30 cricket.

### Stock Exchange

The Stock Exchange will be open to the public from 5 to 7 pm tomorrow and on Wednesday, July 15, as part of the Festival of the City of London. Parliament today

Commons (2.30): Debate on flags of convenience, Deep sea Mining (Temporary Provisions) Bill, remaining stages. Lords (2.30): Education Bill, committee (first day).

Today's anniversaries

Thomas More executed on Tower Hill, 1535. Duke of Mon-mouth defeated at Sedgmoor, Somerset, 1685. Guy de Mauper-sant died, Paris, 1893. These Newspapers
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### Weather

The general situation: A SW airstream will persist with frontal troughs crossing many districts.

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Welles, NW England, Luke District, Central Hiptians: Mostly County, rain spreading from W, brighter later but scattered showers; wind SW, fresh; max temp 16C (61F).

Late of Man, SW, NW Scotland, Edspow, Arguit, N Ireland: Rain at first, becoming brighter with scattered showers; wind SW, fresh or strong; max temp 1.3 to 15C (55 to 59F).

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Barders, Edinburgh, Dundee, Aberbeen, Merny Firth, NE Sestiand : Outbreaks of rain, sunny lettereaks inter; wind S to SW, fresh; max temp 16C (61F).

Outbreak, Shattland : Mostly cloudy with rain at times; wind S to SW, fresh or strong; max temp 13C (55).

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St Ganege's Channel, Irish Sea: Wind SW, strong, occasionally gale; sea rough or very rough.

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Edinburgh 9.46 pm to 4.52 am.
Manchester 9.32 pm to 4.52 am.
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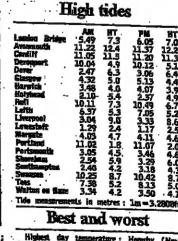
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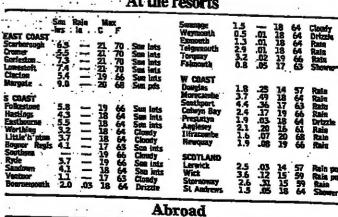


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